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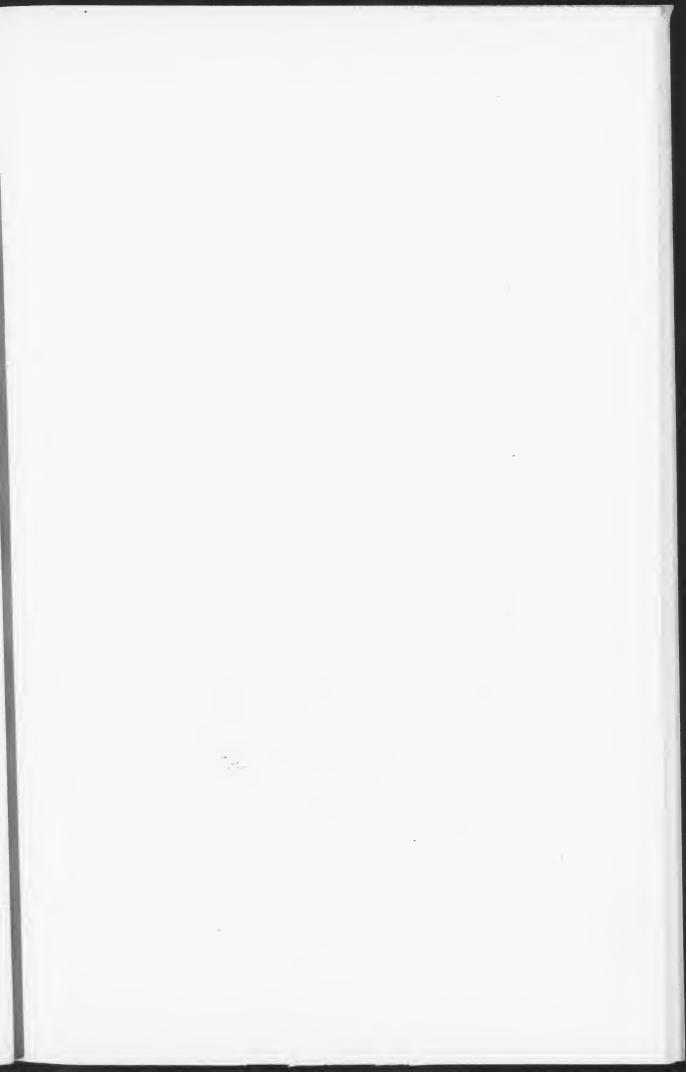


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Lexington, Ky., August 31, 1904.

The Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, met in its eighty-fourth annual session, in the Hill Street Methodist church, Lexington, Ky., at 9 a. m. August 31, 1904, Bishop A. Coke Smith, President, in the chair. The conference joined in singing Hymn No. 827, "O happy day that fixed my choice." After prayer by the Bishop, he read and commented on the 12th chapter of Romans, after which Rev. J. S. Sims lead in prayer.

The secretary of the last Conference called the roll,

and the following answered to their names:

Clerical Members—G. S. Savage, W. T. Benton, D. B. Cooper, T. J. Godbey, W. F. Taylor, J. R. Deering, C. F. Evans, J. R. Peeples, W. F. Vaughan, T. B. Cook, C. J. Nugent, D. W. Robertson, W. T. Rowland, George Froh, J. O. A. Vaught, T. F. Taliaferro, C. M. Humphrey W. W. Spates, J. H. Williams, F. A. Savage, J. S. Sims, J. W. Hughes, T. W. Barker, J. J. Dickey, E. H. Pearce, J. W. Harris, S. W. Peeples, V. B. Daughetee, J. A. Sawyer, H. C. Wright, W. B. Ragan, D. P. Ware, W. S. Grinstead, J. W. Simpson, M. T. Chandler, F. S. Pollitt, W. W. Green, F. K. Struve, E. C. Savage, J. R. Savage, W. E. Arnold, J. D. Redd, T. W. Watts, W. M. Britt, W. A. Penn, E. G. B. Mann, A. P. Jones, E. J. Terrill, W. T. Ecklar, R. B. Baird, J. N. Ison, W. F. Wyatt, J. L. West, J. W. Gardner, J. P. Strother, James E. Wright, J. R. Nelson, W. D. Welburn, U. G. Foote, B. C. Horton, P. J. Ross, J. M. Johnson, B. F. Cosby, O. J. Chandler, J. W. Crates, J. R. Word, H. G. Turner, J. L. Weber, M. F. Moores, F. M. Hill, M. S. Clark, S. H. Pollitt, L. Robinson, J. M. Mathews, B. E. Lancaster, C. C. Fisher, F. B. Jones, F. T.

McIntire, W. L. Selby, W. L. Clark, U. V. W. Darlington. R. M. Lee. B. F. Chatham, H. R. Mills, J. L. Clark, C. A. Bromley, E. K. Pike, C. L. Bohon, P. C. Eversole, W. S. Maxwell, F. D. Palmeter, W. O. Sadler, J. W. Jackson, S. M. Sartin, R. H. Hobbs, Green V. Todd.

Probationers—H. E. Roseberry, J. M. Fuqua, C. K. Dickey, Peter Walker, C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy, J. R. Sanders, C. A. Gossett, C. W.

Williams, W. S. Anderson, J. W. Carter.

Lay Members—S. M. Penn, P. M. Hoagland, W. H. Crapster, J. C. Vaught, R. T. Marshall, M. B. Bostain, Harrison Hamilton.

C. A. Gossett, alternate was substituted for G. W. Bain, absent, and D. S. Trumbo for J. W. Boulden.

W. E. Arnold was elected Secretary, and H. G. Turner, J. P. Strother, W. M. Britt, W. S. Maxwell and S. W. Peeples, Assistants.

The Presiding Elders submitted the following nominations for the following committees, and they were elected:

On Books and Periodicals—J. M. Mathews, J. H. Williams, J. R. Peeples, J. C. Lewis, F. K. Struve, C. F. Evans.

Temperance—E. J. Terrill, W. F. Wyatt, J. C. Vaught, J. D. Redd, J. W. Crates, D. S. Trumbo.

District Conference Records—E. K. Pike, W. S. Maxwell, C. A. Gossett, P. J. Ross, T. B. Cook, J. W. Boulden.

Orphans' Home—S. W. Peeples, H. C. Wright, T. P. Gardner, F. T. McIntire, T. W. Barker, M. B. Bostain.

Sabbath Observance—T. F. Taliaferro, J. J. Dickey, M. W. Hiner, J. W. Hughes, J. M. Johnson, R. T. Marshall.

Memoirs—J. R. Deering, W. F. Taylor, D. B. Cooper and E. H. Pearce.

Public Worship—E. G. B. Mann, U. G. Foote, W. O. Sadler, M. L. Harris.

A communication was received and read from Rev. Julius Edwin Wright, asking for an episcopal decision as to his relation to the Kentucky Conference. The bishop ruled that Bro. Wright is not a member of the Kentucky Conference.

A question of law concerning this case was submitted for decision by W. E. Arnold, which the bishop took under consideration. (See page 18.)

The following resolution was offered and adopted:

Resolved, That all resolutions, memorials and reports of Boards and Committees coming before this Conference shall be submitted in duplicate. (Signed.)

W. E. ARNOLD, C. J. NUGENT. On motion it was agreed to meet at 9 a. m., and adjourn

at 12 m., with prayer-meeting at 8:30 a. m.

A communication from Rev. J. L. Cunninggim, of the Vanderbilt Correspondence School, was read and referred to the Board of Education. Communications from the Missionary Secretaries, Sunday-School Editor, Book Agents, and Secretaries of the Epworth League and Church Extension Boards, were received and referred

without reading to their proper Committees.

Question 20 was called: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" Presiding Elders W. T. Rowland, D. W. Robertson, J. W. Simpson, E. G. B. Mann, J. S. Sims and J. R. Deering reported the work of their districts and their characters were passed. The characters of G. S. Savage, P. H. Hoffman, T. J. Godbey, W. W. Chamberlin, W. H. H. Ditzler, V. B. Daughetee, M. P. Morgan and J. S. Walker were passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuate Relation. characters of J. C. Minor, F. W. Noland and G. N. Buffington were passed, and they were referred to the same committee for a Supernumerary Relation. D. P. Ware was passed, and he reported ready for work. The names of C. J. Nugent, M. F. Moores, J. L. Clark, R. M. Lee, J. N. Ison, J. M. Mathews, J. R. Nelson, S. W. Peeples, B. C. Horton, W. L. Selby and C. C. Fisher were called, and their characters passed.

The following persons were introduced to the Conference: Rev. James Atkins, D. D., Sunday-School Editor; Rev. A. J. Lamar, D. D., Assistant Book Agent; Rev. Geo. D. French, D. D., Agent of the American Bible Society; Dr. Cadesman Pope and Dr. H. G. Henderson, of the White River Conference; Revs. J. T. Rushing and T. R. Kendall, of the Louisville Conference; Bishop Isaac Lane, of the Colored M. E. Church in America; and Rev. W. A. Jackson, P. E., of the Covington District of

the same church.

The Committee on Public Worship announced that Rev. H. G. Henderson would preach at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and that the anniversary of the Sunday-School Board would be held to-night at 7:45. Other announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. James Atkins.

### SECOND DAY.

Lexington, Ky., September 1, 1904.

The Conference opened at the appointed time by singing Hymn No. 473, followed by prayer and scripture lesson by Rev. F. K. Struve.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

The names of those members who were absent from yesterday's session were called and Josiah Godbey, M. W. Hiner, W. A. Penn, E. E. Holmes, E. K. Arnold, B. O. Beck, H. A. Power, W. R. McGruder, T. P. Gardner, J. S. Yankee, L. L. Ross and J. W. Boulden answered to their names. On motion the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

Dr. James Atkins addressed the Conference in the interest of the Sunday-School work, followed by Dr. E. H. Pearce on the same subject.

The Committee on Orphans' Home submitted its report. See appendix. The agent of the Home then read his report, and a collection was taken, amounting in cash and subscription to \$182.09.

Qustion 1 was called: "Who are admitted on trial?" Arthur O'Rear, being duly recommended by the Maysville District Conference and approved by the Committees of Examination and Admission, was admitted on trial.

The recommendation and certificate of ordination of Elbert Edwin Dawson, of the "Christian" Church, were presented by E. G. B. Mann, and the Conference by vote expressed its willingness that the usual questions should be propounded to him. The application of Ed-

ward S. Wilson, of the M. E. Church, to be received into Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church, South. on his orders as a deacon, was presented by J. S. Sims, and he was received. Also the application of Edward W. Symmons, an elder in "The Church of Christ," and the Conference consented that the vows of ordination should be propounded to him.

Question 5: "Who are re-admitted?" C. F. Oney and

Edward Allen.

Question 2: "Who remain on trial?" The names of Emmett K. Arnold, B. O. Beck, C. A. Gossett, C. W. Williams and W. S. Anderson were called, their characters passed, and they were advanced to the class of the second year. J. W. Carter was not before the Committee,

and he was discontinued at his own request.

Dr. A. F. Watkins, Agent of the Superannuated Preachers' Fund; Rev. W. B. Nance, Missionary to China; Rev. R. O. Kirkwood, of the Presbyterian Church; Prof. J. J. Rucker, of Georgetown College; Rev. G. W. Young and Rev. P. A. Baker, of the Anti-Saloon League, were introduced to the Conference. Bishop Lane then addressed the Conference, and took a collection for the building of a colored M. E. Church in America, in the city of Lexington. Three hundred dollars in cash and subscriptions was raised.

The Committee on Public Worship announced that Dr. P. A. Baker, Superintendent of the National Anti-Saloon League, would speak at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and that the anniversary of the Preachers' Aid Society would be held to-night, the address to be given by Rev. F. K. Struve.

After various other announcements, Conference adjourned, with benediction by Bishop Lane.

#### THIRD DAY.

Lexington, Ky., September 2, 1904.

The Conference opened at 9 o'clock with scripture lesson and prayer by Rev. W. F. Taylor. The minutes of the previous session were read, corrected and approved.

W. E. Arnold asked to be released from the Examining Committee of the class of the first year, and that M. S. Clark be put in his place. Granted.

The question of law submitted for decision at the first day's session was decided by the bishop in the affirmative. The question and answer are as follows:

While presiding over the Kentucky Conference, September 7, 1903, Bishop E R. Hendrix officially announced that Julius E. Wright, a member of the said Kentucky Conference, was transferred to the Indian Mission Conference, record of the transfer was made on the Kentucky Conference Journal, and certificate of the transfer sent to Bishop E. E. Hoss, President of the Indian Mission Conference. Bishop Hoss refused to recognize the transfer, made no announcement to the Indian Mission Conference of the same, and left Bro. Wright without an appointment.

Question: Does the official announcement that a preacher is transferred from one conference to another operate a change of membership, so that his rights and responsibilities in the conference to which he is transferred begin from the date of his transfer by the bishop making it?

Answer: "It does. A. Coke Smith."

It was moved and seconded that we reconsider the action by which the minutes of the first day's session were approved. On standing vote the motion was carried, 56 for, and 42 against. It was then moved and seconded that, after a proper mention of the fact that a communication from Rev. Julius E. Wright asking for a decision as to his relation to this Conference, had been received, the minutes be corrected by striking out the communication. The following substitute was offered:

Resolved. That in receiving the communication from Rev. J. E. Wright and admitting it to record, we do not commit ourselves to the contents thereof, nor do we express any opinion as to the administration of Bishop Hoss in his case.

(Signed.)

C. J. NUGENT,

D. B. COOPER.

A vote was then taken on the substitute and it was lost. The original motion was then carried, and the minutes

as corrected were approved.

Question 7 was called: "Who are the deacons of one year?" F. D. Palmeter, W. O. Sadler, J. W. Jackson, S. M. Sartin, R. H. Hobbs, Green V. Todd and P. C. Eversole, having passed an approved examination, reported their charges, had their characters passed, and were advanced to the class of the fourth year. Owing to illness, Price T. Smith was not before the committee. His character was passed, and he was continued in the class of the third year.

Under call of question 8: "What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy and J. R. Sanders, having passed approved examinations, were elected to deacons orders and advanced to the class of the third year. J. M. Fuqua, H. E. Roseberry, C. K. Dickey and Peter Walker, local deacons, were approved in their examinations and advanced to the class of the

third year.

B. M. Nelson and G. O. B. Jackson, not appearing before the committee, were continued in the class of the

second year.

Question 10: "What local preachers are elected deacons?" Under this question C. W. Williams and Andrew Johnson were elected to local deacons orders.

W. A. Hostetter being sick and not at the Conference, his character was passed and he was continued in the class of the first year.

Dr. Morris, pastor of the Centenary M. E. Church, Lexington, was introduced to the Conference.

Question 12: "What traveling preachers are elected elders?"

Answer—W. S. Maxwell and P. C. Eversole, Bro. Eversole having appeared before the committee of the fourth year and passed an approved examination, and having been a deacon for two years.

Question 14: "What local preachers are elected elders?"

Answer—None.

The characters of J. N. Ison and B. E. Lancaster were passed and they were referred to the committee on Conference Relations, the first for a superannuate, and the second for a supernumerary relation.

W. T. Rowland asked to be relieved from the committee to examine the class of the second year, and that O. J. Chandler be substituted in his stead. Granted.

A communication from the Board of Trustees of the M. E. Church, South, was read and referred to the Joint Board of Finance. Also a communication from the Kentucky Interdenominational Local Option Committee was read and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

The Conference Cashier asked that an Auditing Committee be appointed to audit his accounts. P. J. Ross and R. T. Marshall were appointed.

Under question 20, T. W. Watts, J. J. Dickey, M. T. Chandler, O. J. Chandler, W. F. Wyatt, G. W. Boswell, C. L. Bohon, F. A. Savage, R. B. Baird, J. H. Williams, H. C. Wright; C. A. Bromley, W. W. Green, L. G. Wallace and C. H. Greer were approved.

F A. Savage was granted a leave of absence for the rest of the session.

The bishop requested the class to be admitted on trial to be present at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning to answer the disciplinary questions.

The Committee on Public Worship announced that Bishop Lane would preach this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and that the anniversary of the Church Extension Society would be held to-night, with an address by Rev. J. R. Savage. After other announcements Conference adjourned with benediction by D. B. Cooper.

#### FOURTH DAY.

Lexington, Ky., September 3, 1904.

Conference met at the usual hour, and was lead in prayer by Dr. P. H. Whisner. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

The committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Conference Cashier reported as follows:

We, the committee appointed to audit the cashier's accounts, beg leave to report that after examination of his books and exhibit of his vouchers we find his accounts to be correct. We find that he has collected for all purposes during the year \$16,421.81, and his vouchers show that he has disbursed the same amount.

P. J. ROSS, ROBT. T. MARSHALL, Committee.

T. W. Watts resigned as member of the committee to examine candidates for admission on trial and J. L. Clark was elected to fill the vacancy. H. R. Mills resigned as member of the Epworth League Board, and B. F. Chatham was elected in his stead.

On motion Geo. B. Winslow, of Carrollton, Ky., was re-elected Conference Cashier for the ensuing year.

Leave of absence was granted J. J. Dickey after this session.

The Committee on Temperance made its report, which, after discussion, was recommitted, with instructions to eliminate personal references.

Dr. P. H. Whisner, Secretary Board of Church Extension; Dr. J. J. Tigert, Book Agent, and Dr. Preston

Blake, of the Baptist Church, were introduced.

C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy, J. R. Sanders, J. M. Fuqua, H. E. Roseberry, C. K. Dickey and Peter Walker were called before the bar of the Conference, and after being addressed by the bishop the vows of admission were administered, and on vote they were admitted into full connection.

The Committee on Conference Relations made its report recommending that G. S. Savage, W. W. Chamberlin, W. T. Benton, P. H. Hoffman, D. B. Cooper, T. J. Godbey, W. H. H. Ditzler, V. B. Daughetee, M. P. Morgan and J. N. Ison be granted a superannuate relation, and that J. C. Minor, F. W. Noland, G. N. Buffington, J. S. Walker and B. E. Lancaster be granted a supernumerary relation. The report was adopted.

On motion 7:45 p. m. to-morrow was fixed as the hour for the Memorial Session.

Moved and carried that a session be held at 7:45 o'clock to-night to hear the report of the Board of Missions.

A motion to hold an afternoon session beginning at 2:30 was carried.

The name of Price T. Smith was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a supernumerary relation.

The Committee on Public Worship made announcement of the services in the various churches of the city for Sunday, September 4, 1904.

Leave of absence was granted W. R. McGruder, and the presence of J. T. Cannon, of Covington District, was noted.

The Conference requested the bishop to appoint C. C. Fisher to the Presidency of the Millersburg Female College, and J. W. Hughes to the Presidency of Asbury College.

Dr. A. F. Watkins addressed the Conference on the Superannuated Preachers' Endowment Fund, and Dr. P, H. Whisner represented the Board of Church Extension.

After announcements the Conference adjourned with benediction.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Lexington, Ky., September 3, 1904.

Conference met at 2:30 p. m., Rev. W. F. Taylor in the chair, and was lead in prayer by C. M. Humphrey. The minutes of the morning session were read and adopted.

The Committee on Conference Relations made a supplementary report, recommending that Price T. Smith be given a supernumerary relation and the report was adopted.

The Joint Board of Finance made its report which was adopted. (See appendix.)

The report of the Committee on Orphans' Home, which was submitted at the second day's session, was adopted.

The Board of Education made its report, and after addresses by J. L. Weber and J. C. Lewis the report was adopted. (See appendix.)

Dr. H. M. Hamill addressed the Conference in behalf

of the Sunday-School work.

The report of the American Bible Society Board was submitted, and after an address by Rev. Geo. D. French,

the report was adopted. (See appendix.)

The Committee on Temperance again brought in its report, which, on motion, was taken up seriatim. The preamble and resolutions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were adopted. J. D. Redd and others offered a substitute for resolution 6, and T. B. Cook offered a substitute for the substitute. On vote being taken the substitute of J. D. Redd was adopted, and the report as amended was then adopted as a whole. (See appendix.)

J. R. Deering tendered his resignation as a Trustee of the Kentucky Anti-Saloon League, which was accepted, and J. W. Hughes was elected in his stead.

Conference adjourned with benediction.

#### EVENING SESSION.

Lexington, Ky., September 3, 1904.

Conference met 7:45 p. m. as per adjournment, and was opened with prayer by B. C. Horton. The minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

Announcement of to-morrow's services in the various

churches was made.

The report of the Board of Missions was submitted. It was found that the Board needed about \$300 in order to pay in full the appropriations to our Conference Missionaries, and Bishop Smith lifted a collection for this purpose, amounting to \$309.01. An address was then made by W. B. Nance, of the China Mission, and the Conference adjourned.

### FIFTH DAY.

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Lexington, Ky., September 4, 1904.

The Conference met in Memorial session at 7:45 p. m., Rev. J. R. Deering in the chair. After singing Hymn No. 582, "Come let us join our friends above," Rev. T. J. Godbey led in prayer and read a part of the 15th chapter of 1 Corinthians.

Under call of question 19, "What preachers have died during the past year?" it was found that two had gone from us—Robert Hiner and G. G. Ragan. A memoir of Dr. Hiner was read by W. F. Taylor, and that of G. G. Ragan by E. H. Pearce. Touching tributes were offered by T. B. Cook, J. S. Sims, J. W. Fitch, B. E. Lancaster and J. J. Tigert. The report of the committee on Memoirs was then adopted and the Conference adjourned.

### SIXTH DAY.

Lexington, Ky., September 5, 1904.

Conference met at the appointed time and the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. J. W. Simpson. The minutes of the previous sessions were read and ap-

proved.

Question 20 was resumed and the characters of U. G. Foote, W. E. Arnold, J. R. Savage, M. W. Hiner, W. B. Ragan, H. G. Turner, B. F. Cosby, J. R. Peeples, W. F. Taylor, J. R. Word, J. L. Weber, J. O. A. Vaught, Josiah Godbey, F. T. McIntire, C. M. Humphrey, W. D. Welburn, J. A. Sawyer, A. P. Jones, J. W. Crates, E. H. Pearce, P. J. Ross, W. F. Vaughan, J. W. Hughes, U. V. W. Darlington, W. L. Clark, L. Robinson, J. P. Strother, F. K. Struve, T. B. Cook, J. M. Johnson, T. W. Barker, W. M. Britt, M. S. Clark, B. F. Chatham, H. R. Mills, F. S. Pollitt, E. C. Savage, J. D. Redd, C. F. Evans, J. W.

Gardner, S. H. Pollitt, J. W. Harris, J. L. West, W. W. Spates, W. S. Grinstead, R. H. Wightman, J. T. J. Fizer, Jas. E. Wright, F. B. Jones, F. M. Hill, W. T. Ecklar and Geo. Froh were approved. The name of W. P. Gordon was called, his character passed, and it was announced that he had been transferred to the Louisville Conference during the year.

Upon nomination, W. F. Taylor, E. G. B. Mann, W. A. Sears and M. J. Durham were re-elected members of the

Board of Education.

A motion was made and carried that when the Conference adjourns it adjourn to meet at 2 p. m.

Dr. J. J. Tigert addressed the Conference concerning

the Quarterly Review.

Bishop Smith filed the following certificates of ordination:

This is to certify that on yesterday, September 4, I ordained C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy and J. R. Sanders, traveling deacons, and C. W. Williams and Andrew Johnson, local deacons.

A. COKE SMITH.

Lexington, Ky., September 5, 1904.

This is to certify that on yesterday, September 4, 1904, assisted by the elders present, I ordained W. S. Maxwell and P. C. Eversole traveling elders.

A. COKE SMITH.

Lexington, Ky., September 5, 1904.

Question 45 was called: "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?"

Answer—At Covington.

E. W. Symmons and E. E. Dawson, who had previously presented certificates of their orders as Elders in the Church of the Disciples, and had taken upon them our ordination vows, were, upon vote, admitted into full connection.

The Conference adjourned with benediction.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Lexington, Ky., September 5,1904.

The Conference met at 2 p. m., Bishop Smith in the chair. Rev. C. M. Humphrey read the scriptures and led in prayer. The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The Sunday-School Board, the Committee on Books and Periodicals, the Epworth League Board, the Board of Church Extension, the Committee on Sabbath Observance and the Committee on District Conference Records submitted their reports, which were adopted. (See appendix.) Dr. A. J. Lamar spoke briefly concerning our publishing interests, and Mr. H. Wirgman in behalf of the Central Methodist.

Leave of absence was granted G. W. Boswell for the remainder of the session.

Under Question 6 the bishop announced the transfer of J. S. Ragan from the Western North Carolina Conference; Morris Evans from the Illinois Conference, and L. O. Adams from the Holston Conference.

The name of Morris Evans was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, which reported, recommending him for a superannuate relation. The report was adopted.

W. S. Maxwell, Assistant Secretary, reported \$221.75 collected for the publication of the minutes of the Conference. It was moved and carried that a committee of three, of which the Secretary shall be Chairman, be appointed to edit and publish the minutes. W. E. Arnold, J. S. Sims and H. G. Turner were appointed. Permission was granted the committee to edit reports.

The following memorial from the Womans' Home Mission Society was presented:

"Resolved, That we memoralize the Annual Session of the Kentucky Conference to place in their minutes a map of the Conference divided into districts, pastoral charges and circuits, and that we bear part of the expense for the use of the map in our minutes of the Woman's Home Mission Society."

On motion the memorial was granted.

The report of the Statistical Secretary was received and various disciplinary questions answered therefrom.

Rev. F. K. Struve, our Conference Reporter, reported as follows:

The work of your Conference Reporter has not been as satisfactorily done as I had desired. Some of my helpers have not always been present. The local reporters have been courteous, and the city papers liberal in giving space to the proceedings of the Conference. Owing to the fact that I could not control the matter for the press, some things were incorrectly reported. This I regret. Another year, if the appointment is continued, by a more perfect organization, better work can be done.

F. K. STRUVE, Conference Reporter.

On motion, F. K. Struve was reappointed to this position.

The following resolution of thanks was adopted by unanimous rising vote:

Resolved, That we extend most grateful thanks to our friends who have received us into their homes and entertained us with bounteous hospitality, worthy of true Christian citizenship, and cordially characteristic of the fellowship of the Kingdom.

Resolved, That we thank the newspapers and common carriers for courtesies extended to us, and to the Manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company for private wire placed at the disposal of our Conference Reporter so as to facilitate his work.

C J. NUGENT, W. F. TAYLOR.

The conference business was suspended until a legal session should be held, after which the minutes were read and approved. The conference united in singing Hymn No. 229, and Dr. J. J. Tigert lead in prayer. Bishop Smith then read the following list of appointments (see list on next page), and the Conference adjourned sine die.

A COKE SMITH, President.

W. E. ARNOLD, Secretary.

# APPOINTMENTS.

(Figures show the year on the charge. The class to which undergraduates belong is indicated by Roman numerals.)

#### Frankfort District, W. T. Rowland P. E., 2.

Corinth—R. H. Wightman, 1. Frankfort-J. O. A. Vaught, 1 Georgetown-M. F. Moores, 3. Ghent—J. M. Mathews, 1. Gratz—E. J. Terrill, 2. Hinton-A. Redd, 2. Lawrenceburg-E. K. Pike, 3. Millersburg—B. C. Horton, 2. Monterey-To be supplied. Mt. Hope-W. A. Penn, 2. New Columbus—S. W. Peeples, 2. Oddville-W. A. Hostetter, 4 I. Paris-J. L. Clark, 4.

Petersburg-W. L. Selby, 2. Polsgrove-To be supplied by J. H. Foster, 1. Port Royal—J. R. Nelson, 1. Ruddles Mills-To be supplied by Geo. D. Prentice, 1. Salvisa—S. M. Sartin, 2. IV. Warsaw—E. E. Holmes, 2. Chaplain State Prison-T. F. Taliaferro. President Millersburg College—C. C. Fisher.

#### Shelbyville District, D. W. Robertson P. E., 3.

Beards—L. G. Wallace, 2. Bedford-R. B. Baird, 2. Beech Fork-R. H. Hobbs, 1. IV. Bloomfield-C. J. Nugent, 1. Campbellsburg-H. C. Wright, 3 Carrollton-M. T. Chandler, 1. Chaplin-W. S. Maxwell, 2. Christiansburg-W. F. Wyatt, 2. Eminence-Arthur O'Rear, 1. I. La Grange-L. O. Adams, 1.

Milton-G. W. Boswell, 1. New Castle-P. C. Eversole, 2. Pleasureville and Bethlehem—W. W. Green, 2. Shelbyville-O. J. Chandler, 1. Shiloh—J. H. Williams, 1. Simpsonville—J. J. Dickey, 2. Taylorsville—T. W. Barker, 1. Missionary to Cuba-C. H. Greer.

#### Lexington District, E. G. B. Mann P. E., 2.

Camargo and Grassy Lick-M. | Mt. Zion Circuit - J. R. Peeples, W. Hiner, 1. Campton-R. M. Lee, 1. Clay City—Supplied by J. 0. Crawford, 2. College Hill-B. O. Beck, 3. II. Frenchburg—Supplied by C. Colyer, 1. Hazard and Hindman-To be supplied. Irvine-J. W. Jackson, 1. IV. Jackson—D. P. Ware, 1. Lexington-Epworth, C. L. Bohon, 1. Lexington-Hill St., U. G. Foote, Morehead—E. E. Dawson, 1. I. Mt. Sterling-H. G. Turner, 2. B. E. Lancaster, Supernumerary.

2. Nicholasville—W. F. Taylor, 3. F. W. Noland, Supernumerary. Owingsville—J. M. Fuqua, 2. III. Spears-W. B. Ragan, 1. C. A. Bromley, 1. Versailles-W. E. Arnold, 3. West Liberty and Hazel Green-C. W. Williams, 1. II. Winchester—J. R. Savage, 3. President Kentucky Wesleyan College—J. L. Weber. Professor in Kentucky Wesleyan College-W. S. Anderson, II. Student in Vanderbilt University-C. A. Gossett, II.

#### Danville District, J. W. Simpson P. E., 2.

Brodhead—J. A. Savage, 2. Burgin and Bryantsville-W. D. Welburn, 2. Burnside—B. M. Nelson, 4. II. Corbin-C. P. Pilow, 1. III. Danville-E. H. Pearce, 1. East Pulaski—To be supplied by S. J. Dills, 2. Harrodsburg—W. F. Vaughan, 3. P. T. Smith, Supernumerary, III. Lancaster—C. F. Oney, 1. London—A. P. Jones, 2. Mackville—Green V. Todd, 1. IV. Middlesboro-Edward Allen, 2. Moreland-Peter Walker, 3. III.

Perryville-Josiah Godbey. Pineville and Barbourville-C. K. Dickey, 2. III. Pittsburg—J. S. Ragan, 1. Preachersville—To be supplied by R. F. Jordan, 2. Richmond—J. W. Crates, 2. Salt River—J. M. Johnson, 1. Somerset—F. T. McIntire, 2. Stanford—P. J. Ross, 3. West Pulaski—To be supplied.
Wilmore—C. M. Humphrey,
E. K. Arnold, 1. II. President of Asbury College-J. W. Hughes.

#### Covington District, J. S. Sims P. E., 3.

Alexandria-T. B. Cook, 2. and Dover — E. L. Augusta Griffy, 1. III. Brooksville-W. M. Britt, 1. Butler-M. S. Clark, 2. California-F. A. Savage, 1. J. C. Minor, Supernumerary. Covington—Scott St.—U. V. W. Darlington, 4. Covington—Eleventh St.—W. O. Sadler, 1. IV. Cynthiana-F. K. Struve, 4.

Erlanger-E. S. Wilson, 1. G. N. Buffington, Supernumerary. Falmouth—B. F. Chatham, 1. Foster—E. W. Symmons, 1. I. Highland—J. P. Strother, 3. Kelat-E. C. Savage, 4. Newport-L. Robinson, 3. Visialia-J. E. Wright, 1. Walton—F. S. Pollitt, 2. Williamstown—J. D. Redd, 3. Conference Missionary Secretary -E. C. Savage.

#### Maysville District, J. R. Deering P. E., 2.

Bethel and Sharpsburg—J. T. J. | Moorefield—W. L. Clark, 1. Fizer, 2. Carlisle—F. M. Hill, 4. East Maysville-H. E. Roseberry, 2. III. Fairview Mission—J. R. Word, 1. Flemingsburg-W. S. Grinstead, 4 Germantown—S. H. Pollitt, 3. J. S. Hillsboro—J. L. West, 3. Walker, Supernumerary. Little Rock—F. B. Jones, 3. Maysville—C. F. Evans, 3.

Mt. Carmel-J. W. Gardner, 3. Mt. Olivet—J. W. Harris, 2. Salt Well-Supplied by E. K. Kidwell, 2. Shannon and Sardis-W. T. Ecklar, 3. Tilton-W.W. Spates, 2. Tollesboro—F. D Palmeter, 2. IV. Vanceburg—B. F. Cosby, 1. Washington and Hebron-Geo. Froh, 2.

#### Transferred.

T. W. Watts to the Western North Carolina Conference. H. R. Mills to the Pacific Conference.

G. O. B. Jackson to the Indian Mission Conference. J. R. Sanders to the Indian Mission Conference.

W. P. Gordon to the Louisville Conference.

### DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

- Ques. 1. "Who are admitted on trial?" Arthur O'Rear.
- Ques. 2. "Who remain on trial?" E. K. Arnold, B. O. Beck, C. A. Gossett, C. W. Williams, W. S. Anderson.
- Ques. 3. "Who are discontinued?" J. W. Carter.
- Ques. 4. "Who are admitted into full connection?"
  C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy, J. R. Sanders, J.
  M. Fuqua, H. E. Roseberry, C. K. Dickey,
  Peter Walker and E. E. Dawson and E. W.
  Symmons (elders from the Church of the
  Disciples.) E. S. Wilson (a deacon from
  the M. E. Church.)
- Ques. 5. "Who are re-admitted?" C. F. Oney, Edward Allen.
- Ques. 6. "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?" J. S. Ragan from the Western North Carolina Conference; Morris Evans, from the Illinois Conference, L. O. Adams from the Holston Conference.
- Ques. 7. "Who are the deacons of one year?" F. D. Palmeter, W. O. Sadler, J. W. Jackson, S. M. Sartin, R. H. Hobbs, Green V. Todd.
- Ques. 8. "What traveling preachers are elected deacons?" C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy, J. R. Sanders.
- Ques. 9. "What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?" C. P. Pilow, E. L. Griffy, J. R. Sanders.
- Ques. 10. "What local preachers are elected deacons?" C. W. Williams, Andrew Johnson.
- Ques. 11. "What local preachers are ordained deacons?" C. W. Williams, Andrew Johnson.
- Ques. 12. "What traveling preachers are elected elders?" W. S. Maxwell, P. C. Eversole.
- Ques. 13. "What traveling preachers are ordained elders?" W. S. Maxwell, P. C. Eversole.

Ques. 14. "What local preachers are elected elders?"

None.

Ques. 15. "What local preachers are ordained elders?"
None

Ques. 16. "Who are located this year?" None.

Ques. 17. "Who are supernumerary?" J. C. Minor, F. W. Noland, G. N. Buffington, Price T. Smith, J. S. Walker, B. E. Lancaster.

Ques. 18. "Who are superannuated?" Geo. S. Savage, W. W. Chamberlin, W. T. Benton, P. H. Hoffman, D. B. Cooper, T. J. Godbey, W. H. H. Ditzler, V. B. Daughetee, M. P. Morgan, J. N. Ison, Morris Evans.

Ques. 19. "What preachers have died during the past year?" Robert Hiner, G. G. Ragan.

Ques. 20. "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" Yes.

Ques. 21. "What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference?" Local preachers, 68; members, 28,324.

Ques. 22. "How many infants have been baptized dur-

ing the year?" 293.

Ques. 23. "How many adults have been baptized during the year?" 1,038.

Ques. 24. "What is the number of Epworth Leagues?" 52.

Ques. 25. "What is the number of Epworth League members?" 1,683.

Ques. 26. "What is the number of Sunday-Schools?" 247.

Ques. 27. "What is the number of Sunday-School teachers?" 1,855.

Ques. 28. "What is the number of Sunday-School scholars enrolled during Conference year?" 14,960.

Ques. 29. "What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?" \$4,500.

- Ques. 30. "What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?" Collected \$2,783. (See report of the Joint Board of Finance.)
- Ques. 31. "What has been contributed for missions?" Foreign Missions, \$5,092.22; Domestic Missions, \$3,908.19.
- Ques. 32. "What has been contributed for Church Extension?" \$1,668.
- Ques. 33. "What has been done for the American Bible Society?" Collected \$465.11.
- Ques. 34. "What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge?" Presiding elders, \$7,564; preachers in charge, \$60,056.
- Ques. 35. "What has been contributed for the support of bishops?" \$803.53.
- Ques. 36. "What is the number of societies and of houses of worship owned by them?" Number of societies, 308; houses of worship, 286 1-12.
- Ques. 37. "What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?" Value, \$800,850; indebtedness, \$8,429.13.
- Ques. 38. "What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?" Pastoral charges, 112; number of parsonages, 85.
- Ques. 39. "What is the value of parsonages, and what is the indebtedness thereon?" Value, \$145,825; indebtedness, \$10,215.
- Ques. 40. "What is the number of districts and of district parsonages?" Districts, 6; district parsonages, 1.
- Ques. 41. "What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?" Value, \$4,000; indebtedness.

Ques. 42. "What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?" Churches damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$16,585.

Ques. 43. "What are the insurance statistics?" Insurance carried, \$232,550.50; premiums paid, \$1,880.03; losses sustained, \$16,580.10; col-

lections on losses, \$15,580.10.

Ques. 44. "What are the educational statistics?" Value of property and endowment, \$131,-877.64; No. professors, 13; No. pupils, 541.

Ques. 45. "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" At Scott street, Covington.

Ques. 46. "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" (See list of appointments.)



## The Dead of the Kentucky Conference.

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them."—Rev. xiv. 13.

NAMES. DEATHS.	NAMES. DEAT
Samuel Dement 1821	70 G. W. Maley
Philip Kennerly 1822	71 J R. Hall
George Brown	
George Brown	
David Gray	73 W. H. Parker
J. P. Finley 1825	74 Anselm Miner
Martin Flint 1825	75 T. R. Malone
William Young 1825	76 L. C. Danley
J. R. Keach	77 John Sandusky 1
Obediah Harber	78 William Bickers
Obediah Harber	
Daniel Black 1827	79 Isaac Collard 1
Nelson Dills 1827	80 V. C. Cummings
John Fisk 1827	81 G. W. Smith
Thomas Atterberry 1829	82 James Homles
T. J. Holliman 1829	83 Jeremiah Strother
Leroy Cole	
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Greenup Kelly 1830	85 W.C. Atmore
Franklin Davis 1835	86 S. L. Robertson
Marone Lindsay 1833	87 J. E. Letton
T P Vance	88 R.B. Owens
T. P. Vance	89 W. H Quisenberry1
T Dument 1009	90 T. P. Shelman
J. Power 1833	
W. P. McKnight 1834	91 E. P. Buckner
Benjamin Ogden 1834	92 D. D. Duty
Samuel Harrison 1834	93 W. E Gibson
Francis Landrum 1835	94 C. W. Miller
Francis Danci tili	
William Adams 1835	
M. M. Cosby	96 Elkanah Johnson 1
John Littlejohn 1836	97 G. W. Merritt
H. S. Duke 1836	98 E. B. Head
William Phillips 1836	99 T F. Vanmeter
TT TOO	
Hooper Evans 1837	
T. H. Gibbons 1838	101 D. G. B. Demaree
A. D. Fox	102 W. McD. Abbett
George McNelly 1840	103 B. F. Bristow
E. M. Bosley 1840	104 J. C. Hardy
Absalom Hunt	105 B. T. Kavanaugh
Absatoli nunt	100 D. I. Kavanaugh
Alexander Robinson 1841	106 W. D. Power
H. N. Vandyke 1841	107 D. T. Hudson 1
P. O. Meeks 1842	108 Stephen Noland · 1
Edwin Roberts 1842	109 J. A. Henderson 1
Richard Corwine 1843	110 T. N. Ralston
John Denham	1il H. H. Kayanaugh
Elihu Green 1843	112 W. B. Kavanaugh 1
Garret Davis	113 R. Deering
J. B. Bisket 1844	114 O, F. Duvall
J. W. Riggen 1845	115 B. F. Sedwick
Stephen Harber 1845	116 W.H. Anderson
Gilby Kelly 1846	
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J. H. Holding 1846	118 H. M. Linney
Josiah Whitaker 1850	119 D. H. Marriman
S. A. Latta 1852	120 T. J. McIntyre
Moses Levi	121 W. T. Poynter
William Gunn 1853	122 Charles Taylor
James Lawrence 1853	123 D. Welburn
P. W. Gruelle 1855	124 T. J. Dodd
William Bruke	125 W. J. Sniveley
R. J. Dungan 1856	126 C. E. Boswell
B T. Crouch	127 E. H. Godbey
W. M. Vise 1859	128 E. A. McClure
John James 1860	129 H. P. Walker
John Tevis 1861	130 S. W. Speer
G. L. Gould 1862	131 S. S. Deering
	132 W. H. Winter
J. M. Johnson	
William Atherton 1864	133 J. J. Johnston
Samuel Kelly 1864	134 George B, Poage
J. L. Bayless	135 Geo. E. Rapp
J. H. Brooking 1865	136 Joseph Rand
Thomas Hall 1866	137 Robert Hiner
Thomas Hall	137 Robert Hiner

# APPENDIX.

## MEMOIRS.

#### REV. ROBT. HINER, D. D.

Dr. Hiner was born in Fleming county, Ky., February 9, 1825. In early life there were events which profoundly impressed him and shaped his career. From his seventh to his eleventh year he saw nis father struggling with consumption, and during this period make a surrender of his heart to God. Subsequently his mother entered into the same covenant. The new-found joy of the parents, the repeated conversations on religious topics, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper administered in the home, the grace that sustained in the midst of affliction, the family altar at which the mother often ministered, and the triumphant death of his father when the son was but eleven years of age, laid, as he was wont to say, "a foundation in my conscious being which no evil has been sufficient to destroy; for God, Christ, heaven, the Bible, the Church and the Judgment have been as real to me as day and night, heat and cold."

In his fifteenth year he united with the old Goddard Church, and his testimony is, "When the officiating minister took my hand I felt the peace of God that passeth all understanding, and, while many were shouting the praise of God, I sat in quiet, shedding tears of gratitude and joy." By neglect of duty and privilege he lost for a short period his peace of mind, but by patience, confession and prayer he had soon restored to him the joy of salvation, and with it came a qualification for service in prayer, in class meeting and

in the Sunday-School.

In 1845 he went to Bath county, became a clerk in a dry goods store and united by letter with Bethel church. In September, 1846, he was married to Miss Melissa Taylor. The faithful wife preceded him by a few years to the better land. Seven children still remain, one of whom is Rev. M. W. Hiner, of the Kentucky Conference. In the winter 1846-'47 he was licensed to exhort. In the fall of 1847 he was licensed to preach by the Millersburg Circuit at Carlisle, Ky., Rev. George W. Maley, P. E., and Rev. George W. Bush, P. C. In 1848, at Flemingsburg, he was admitted on trial into the Kentucky Conference. For forty-nine years he was in the active work, and for six years he was a superannuate. During the former period he served Louisa, Falmouth, Taylorsville, Bloomfield, Winchester, Maysville district. Scott-street Covington, Lexington, Mt. Sterling, Covington district, Nicholasville, Cynthiana, Shelbyville district, Frankfort, Danville district, Shelby circuit, Carrollton and Warsaw. He served twice each Taylorsville, Mt. Sterling, Scott-Street Covington, Maysville district and Shelbyville district, besides two years during the Civil War at Decatur, Ill., and two years in the college agency.

Dr. Hiner accomplished without early advantages what other men accomplish with them. His struggle made him self-reliant, enabled him to overcome difficulties and developed the muscle of body, mind and heart for noble achievement. Socially, he had few equals. He made friends everywhere. He adapted himself to every condition in life. He was the charm of many a social circle. Even in old age the young delighted in his company. He was welcome in as many homes perhaps as any of his brethren. So large a place had this element in his nature that, while it aided him in his work, he felt that it had to be restrained.

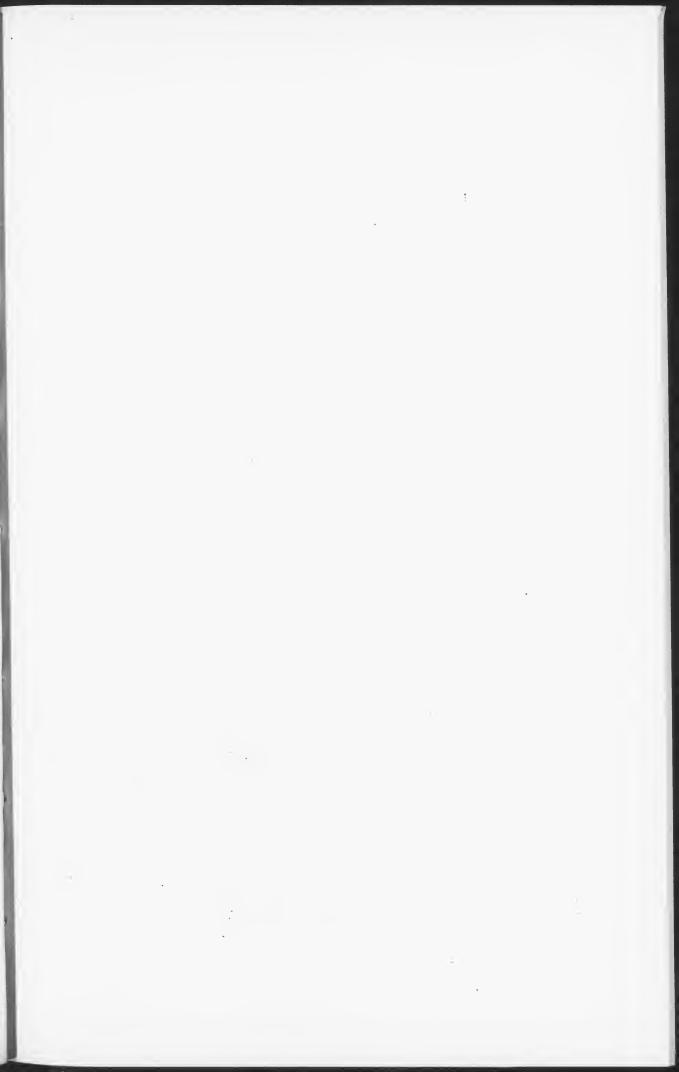
As a preacher Dr. Hiner was at his best. The pulpit was his throne. Everything was made subordinate and subservient to this. His mind was specially adapted to the science of theology. Though not bigoted, and not by nature a controversialist, he was a man of strong convictions, and ready to defend the doctrines of his church, if need be, even in public debate. His preaching was logical, strong, full of unction, and often powerfully moved the people. He was recognized as one of the first preachers in the Conference, and for many years filled its best stations and districts. He rendered valuable service as a curator of Kentucky Wesleyan College, honored the degree of "Doctor of Divinity," and served faithfully in three General Conferences, twice leading his delegation, besides being once elected as a reserve.

If a personal word may be indulged, the writer was a young man in Scott-street church, Covington, when Dr. Hiner walked up the aisle the first Sunday as pastor. What a splendid specimen of physical manhood. His eye, his step, his whole bearing indicated that he was a man for leadership. The choir sang Montgomery's Minister's Greeting:

"We bid thee welcome in the name Of Jesus, Our Exalted Head: Come as a servant—so He came— And we receive thee in His stead."

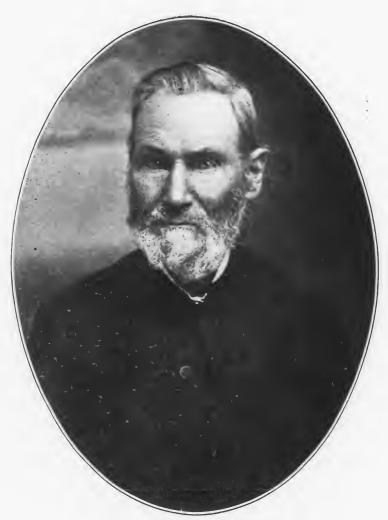
Then followed the successive verses "Come as a shepherd." "watchman," "angel," "teacher sent from God." So he came, and in some respects had one of the most memorable pastorates ever known by that old mother of churches. To one who rejoices to bear testimony to his fidelity it was the beginning of a happy life in the ministry. No young man, though satisfied with his call from God to the ministry, can ever forget the thrill of the first recognition of that call by one who is himself a success in that office. To many doubtless his pastorate marked a period of better consecration.

Dr. Hiner died at the residence of Bro. J. B. Howe at Carrollton, Ky., September 12, 1903. In the midst of friends to whom he had ministered as pastor in former years, he at last received the ministry of tender hands and loving hearts. Pages might be written on the loyalty and beautiful devotion of these people to this aged servant of God. At Dr. Hiner's request the funeral was conducted by the writer, assisted by the pastor, Rev. B. E. Lancaster (who referred touchingly to the last days of our brother), and Rev. M. S. Clark.





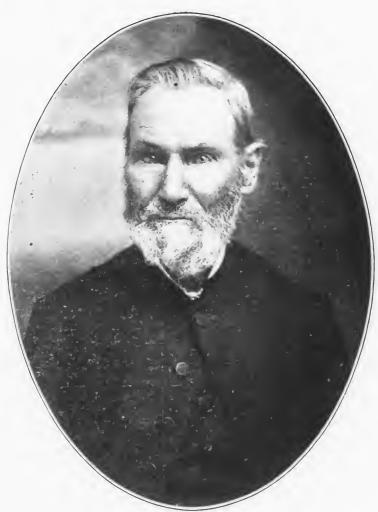
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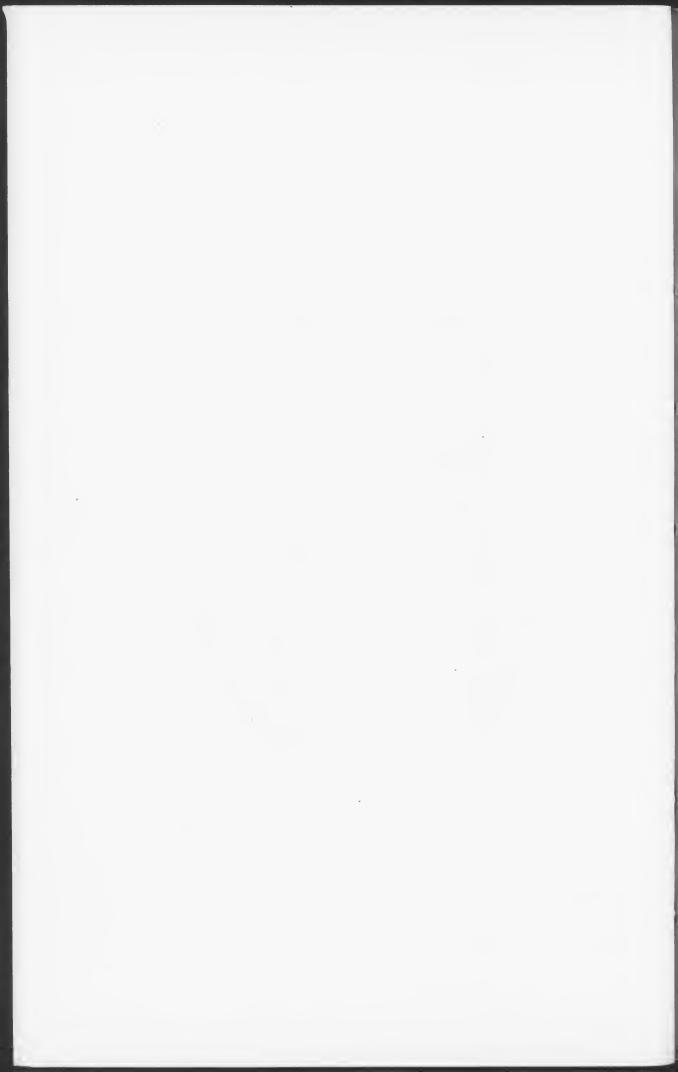
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Recently Dr. Hiner, with his own hand, put this testimony on paper: "In forty-nine years of active service God has followed me, unworthy as I am and unprofitable as I have been, with an unceasing flow of recovering mercy and sutaining grace. The atonement—the atonement wrought out by the Divine Son of God, and through faith in Him, is the one only condition of a sinner's salvation. My faith takes hold on Jesus Christ in His atoning work, and I have a conscious assurance of present and eternal salvation. I am dying in full fellowship with all the members and ministers of all churches who love our Lord Jesus Christ. To my brethren of the Kentucky Conference these are my parting words. Finally, brethren, farewell. Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace, and the God of love and peace shall be with you."

W. F. TAYLOR.

#### REV. G. G. RAGAN.

Galen G. Ragan, son of Samuel and Sallie Smith Ragan, was borned December 11, 1830, in Pulaski county, Ky. Died at his home in Preachersville, Ky., at 4 o'clock in the morning of November 29, 1903.

He was married to Miss Susan Godbey, of Pulaski county, Ky.,.. April 8, 1850. He was converted at Vaught camp meeting, near Somerset, over fifty years ago, and thirty-eight years ago in Russellville, Ind., was most wonderfully sanctified. He began preaching soon after his conversion, preaching his first sermon in a private home on . Clifton creek, in Pulaski county, and for more than thirty years he: has been in the regular itinerancy in the bounds of the Kentucky Conference, serving numerous works through the mountain regions of the conference with acceptability. The balance of his ministerial. life and work was spent in the evangelistic field, doing good work through Kentucky and Indiana. Under his ministry hundreds havebeen brought to Christ. His father having died when he was but three years old, leaving him an uneven fight in the battles of life, he fought well, and, like Paul of old, could say: "I have fought a good. fight; I have kept the faith." What he lacked in education he endeavored to make up in faith and trust in God, and always preached with the "old-time" power. He organized and built several churches: throughout the mountainous regions of Kentucky Conference, and,. in the words of the Master, we can say: "He has done what hecould."

He leaves a widow, four sons and two daughters, he being the first of a family of eight to receive his crown. Three of the sons are well known to the Methodism of Kentucky, W. B. having served as P. E. of London district and at present serving the Irvine charge; Josiah, formerly of the Kentucky Conference, is now serving work in North Carolina Conference, and John G. the Williamsburg circuit in the M. E. Church, Kentucky Conference.

His funeral services were held in the church which he himself caused to be built at Preachersville by his pastor, assisted by E. H. Pearce and P. J. Ross. During the three hours of waiting at the church for relatives on belated train not a moment.

of waiting at the church for relatives on belated train not a moment was wasted and all were made to say: "The Lord moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform." Blessings that came to all present was the best memorial of a life ended under the cross of Christ. How every heart was touched and every eye dimmed when the aged wife, who was blind, asked that the lid should be removed from the casket that she could lay her hand for the last time on him whom she could not see. She had shared his trials and joys for more than fifty years, and now waits in faith for the new and fadeless vision of the city of God.

ROBT. F. JORDAN.

## JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

The communication from the Board of Trustees of the M. E. Church, South, with reference to the endowment fund of the superannuated preachers and their widows and orphans, has been considered by us, and we offer the following resolutions:

Resolved. That we are encouraged by the growth of this fund, and that we hereby express our gratitude to the Giver of all good.

Resolved, That we comply with the request of the Board embodied in the resolution passed at their last annual meeting, in May, 1904, that the pastors set apart Easter Sunday as the day ordered by the General Conference for the enlargement of this fund.

Inasmuch as Rev. J. R. Deering states to the Joint Board of Finance that while Presiding Elder of the Danville District, his claim on the Lancaster charge for the years 1902-1903 was \$60; and that he received only \$50 while the pastor, Rev. E. H. Pearce received his salary in full, and that he is, therefore, entitled to a pro rata share of the full amount paid, according to paragraph 196 of the Discipline, the Joint Board decides the matter in favor of plaintiff J. R. Deering.

M. F. MOORES, Secretary.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

Report of Treasurer Joint Board of Finance:

#### Bishops' Fund.

Received on assessments	\$803	53		
Paid by draft to Smith and Lamar			\$803	53

#### Education.

Received on assessments\$1,840	3 <b>2</b>		
Paid for postage and stationery		\$11	32
Paid by draft to W. A. Sears, Tr	1	1,829	00

#### American Bible Society.

Received on	assessments\$465 1	1	
Paid by draf	t to G. D. French	\$465	11

#### CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

Received on assessments\$2,770	62
Received interest on Mrs. Kelley fund	00
Balance from last year 50	88
Total\$2971	50

#### Disbursed as follows:

Mrs. O. F. Duvall\$100	00	Geo. S. Savage	50 00
Mrs. E. H. Godbey 160			
			175 00
Mrs. V. C. Cummins 50	00	Mrs. C. E. Boswell	175 00
Mrs. H. H. Kavanaugh 50	00	Mrs. T. N. Ralston	25 00
Mrs. W. G. Johns 60	00	Mrs. S. S. Deering	$60 \ 00$
Mrs. O. Long 50	00	Mrs. W. H. Winter	70 00
	00	Mrs. J. J. Johnston	130 00
Mrs. D. H. Marriman 100	00	P. H. Hoffman	150 00
Mrs. R. Lancaster 60	00	W. W. Chamberlin	220 00
Mrs. S. L. Robertson 75	00	M. P. Morgan	60 00
Mrs. Chas. Taylor 100	00	D. B. Cooper	180 00
Mrs. T. J. McIntire 50	00	Mrs. G. G. Ragan	100 00
Mrs. W. J. Snively 100	00	W. H. H. Ditzler	170 00
Mrs. T. J. Dodd 85	00	Mrs. W. B. Kavanaugh	
Miss Anna Power 100	00	V. B. Daughetee	60 00

#### ASSESSMENTS.

The Joint Board makes the following assessments on the various districts:

Districts.				Rishon's Ed	Conf. Claim't		Education.		Bible Society	Payne and Lane.	Gen'l Conf.	Exp. Del.
Frankfort District			\$	220	\$ 762	S	564	*	185	57	\$	81
Shelbyville District	 ٠		, "	208	725		540		176	56		38
Lexington District				221	769		575		195	57		49
Danville District				206	722		536		176	56		70
Covington District				218	758		558		184	56		44
Maysville District	 ٠	•		217	764		566		184	57		81
Total			\$1	,290	\$ 4,500	\$	3,339	\$	1,100	\$339	\$:	328

## PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY.

#### Treasurer's Report.

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Dues, &c., from Rev. W. T. Benton	\$290 100	
Interest on mortgage bonds		
Dividend on bank stock.		00
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Total	.\$1,301	80
Credit by dues, &c., for investment	\$290	00
For disbursement		
DISBURSEMENTS.		
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Rev. V. B. Daughetee		
Rev. W. W. Chamberlin		
Rev. P. H. Hoffman		
Rev. M. P. Morgan		00
Rev. D. B. Cooper		00
		00
Rev. W. T. Benton		00
Rev. Geo. S. Savage		00
Mrs. S. S. Deering		00
Mrs. J. J. Johnson.		00
Mrs. C. W. Miller.		00
Mrs. Wm. Johns		00
Mrs. V. Cummins		00
Mrs. H. H. Kavanaugh		00
Mrs. R. Lancaster.		00
Mrs. D. H. Marriman		00
Mrs. Chas. Taylor	20	00
Mrs. S. L. Robertson		00
Mrs. T. J. McIntire	30	00
Mrs. T. N. Ralston		00
Mrs. W. J. Snively	30	00
Mrs. C. E. Boswell	90	00
Mrs. E. A. McClure	95	00
Mrs. E. H. Godbey		00.
Mrs. W. H. Winter		00
Mrs. G. G. Ragan		00
Treasurer for postage, etc	6	80
Total	.\$1,011	80

#### INVESTMENTS.

Louisville Banking Co stock, balance  Three and one-half shares Louisville National Banking	<b>\$66</b>	50
Company	350	00
First mortgage six per cent. bonds		00
Cash in hands of Treasurer uninvested	53	50
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Total	<b>\$</b> 15,320	00

#### Immediate Relief Society.

Sept. 4, 1904. Amount in hands of Treasurer..... \$145 00

W. W. BALL, Treasurer.

## MISSIONS.

The fifty-eighth annual report of the parent board reveals that the past year has been one of decided progress in all the mission fields operated by our church. The demand is for more laborers in the fields, white unto harvest. The increase in membership is the largest in any single year. Our native communicants now number 14,243, 96 missionaries, 82 wives of missionaries, 103 native traveling preachers, 201 local preachers, and other workers. The increase in the contributions of the home church is encouraging, being \$22,875.66. Nine annual conferences, 75 districts and 2,750 pastoral charges paying assessments in full for foreign missions.

With profound gratitude to God we learn that the war between Russia and Japan has not seriously interrupted the work of our missionaries. God is taking care of His own during this disturbed order of things. He is opening these lands, overshadowed with idolatry, to the influx of western thought and civilization. The church must embrace the God-given opportunity and take them the gospel of the Son of God. China, Japan, Korea, Brazil, Mexico and Cuba are all more ready to throw off the yoke of bondage and receive the messengers of the cross. To create a larger missionary conscience we recommend the circulation of that most excellent paper, "Go Forward," published by the Parent Board. We also request each pastor to apply for and judiciously distribute the leaflets provided by the Missionary Secretaries. We call attention to the Missionary Department of the Epworth League and the election of the fourth vice-president to look after the work. We urge that the Sunday-Schools be organized into missionary societies, as required by the Discipline. We request each presiding elder to appoint a district secretary who shall co-operate with the Conference Secretary in the promotion of the work throughout the Conference.

In our home fields are healthful signs of progress in the building of new and better churches and in larger contributions to the benevo-

lent collections. Let every pastor begin his collections early in the conference year and press them to the end.

We rejoice in the success that has attended our good women in their work of the Home and Foreign Societies. We pledge them our hearty co-operation.

We are glad to have with us Rev. W. B. Nance, of the China Mission Conference.

We recommend the appointment of Rev. E. C. Savage as Conference Missionary Secretary.

LON ROBINSON, Chairman.

E. C. SAVAGE, Secretary.

#### ASSESSMENTS FOR 1904-1905.

Frankfort District       \$1,434 00         Shelbyville District       1,409 00         Lexington District       1,512 00         Danville District       1,406 00	ome Mission. \$820 00 800 00 875 00 810 00
Covington District         1,444 00           Maysville District         1,496 00	825 00 870 00
Total\$8,701 00	\$5,900 00

#### Missionary Appropriations.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.	DANVILLE DISTRICT.
Epworth Church\$180 00	Burnside \$80 00
Clay City 80 00	Preachersville 80 00
Campton 300 00	Pineville 120 00
Jackson 250 00	London 200 00
Irvine 100 00	Middlesboro 180 00
Frenchburg 150 00	Corbin 160 00
Hazard and Hindman 140 00	Pittsburg 80 00
West Liberty         150 00           Morehead         100 00	FRANKFORT DISTRICT.
Owingsville 150 00	Ruddle's Mills \$40 00
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COVINGTON DISTRICT.	Polsgrove
Eleventh St\$150 00	Monterey 100 00
California 80 00	Lawrenceburg 100 00
Augusta and Dover 140 00	SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT.
MAYSVILLE DISTRICT.	Eminence \$250 00
Maysville—2d Church\$120 00 Fair View Circuit 100 00	Total\$3,800 00

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

F. T. McIntire, Treasurer Board of Missions, Kentucky Conference, M. E. Church, South, submits his report as follows:

#### Received for Foreign Missions.

From	the	charges	on	assessments.	\$5,092	22
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Disbursed	as	follows:
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Paid to J. D. Hamilton, Tr Paid to J. D. Hamilton Sep	reasurer, during yeartember 3, 1904	. \$327 52 . 4,764 70
Total		.\$5,092 22
H	OME MISSIONS.	
Received from the charges Special collection at Lexin	mber 7, 1903	. 3,609 19
Dis	bursed as Follows:	
Expenses of Board W. O. Sadler J. O. Crawford W. T. Tyler M. W. Hiner W. B. Ragan C. W. Williams C. A. Gossett J. R. Word J. W. Jackson W. L. Clark F. S. Pollitt J. M. Johnson H. E. Roseberry J. M. Fuqua O. M. Crockett B. M. Nelson Robert Jordan	25 00   C. C. Colyer 200 00   C. K. Dickey 80 00   J. A. Sawyer 160 00   A. P. Jones 280 00   Ed. Allen 200 00   C. P. Pilow 160 00   J. R. Nelson 120 00   E. J. Terrill 200 0( J. N. Ison 120 00   E. K. Pike E. L. Griffy 80 00 160 00 160 00 17 Total Total	. 120 00 . 80 00 . 240 00 . 200 00 . 160 00 . 100 00 . 120 00 . 120 00 . 120 00 . 100 00 . 80 03 . 160 00

#### WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSION SOCIETY.

The Woman's Board of Foreign Missions is represented in six different countries-China, Brazil, Korea, Mexico, Cuba and among the Indians. In these, 29 stations are occupied. There are 65 missionaries, 133 foreign and native assistants, 23 boarding schools, 52 day schools, about 5,000 women and children under instruction, 6 kindergartens, 2 hospitals, 3 Bible Schools, 118 Bible Women, and 283 scholarships. The year which closed in March was the most successful in our history, having more than \$132,000 contributed.

Our year's work in Kentucky Conference tells us that our contributions are larger than ever before, and yet our members do not increase as they should. While the few who are engaged in this work are learning sweet lessons of sacrifice day by day, the many are sitting at ease, with folded hands and with no sense of responsibility weighing upon them. Let each of us ask her own heart "How far am I personally responsible for this condition? Have I fulfilled my duty to my neighbor and friend in seeking to arouse her interest, and bring her into this work that has done so much for me? Have I been a worthy representative by showing an untiring zeal, and by making the service such a delight to my own soul that they could but desire to share its blessedness?"

We present the following statistics for the year:

.Adult Societies	97
Adult Members	1,455
Adult Societies organized	7
Members added	145
Young People and Juvenile Societies	47
Number of members	608
Organized during the year	5
Members added	15
Total membership	2.063
Scholarships supported	2
Life members	321
New life members	35
Honorary life members	18
Honorary life patrons	2
Bible women supported	12
Subscribers to Miss. Adv	419
Subscribers to Little Worker	217
Amount of juvenile collection	\$539 39
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Total amount collected for the year	\$5,342 79

MRS. HELEN M. FORSYTH,
Corresponding Secretary.

# WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY OF KENTUCKY CONFERENCE FOR CONFERENCE YEAR 1903-1904.

In reviewing our labors as a Conference Society there is much to encourage and inspire us to greater faith.

The work is better understood and greater interest awakened since a Home Mission Society can be very helpful to the pastor, and the Parsonage Department is a very present help in time of trouble.

This year our aim is 1,000 members, and we would add a Home Mission Society to aid every preacher.

But the greatest need in the Home Mission Work to-day is women—women willing to be trained for the work of the church. There are calls for more than one hundred deaconesses, and only nine are ready for service. Pray that Kentucky Conference may give some of her choice women to this beautiful service.

Report for the Conference year ending September 1, 1904:	
Number of adult societies	50
Number of juvenile societies	18
Total membership	770
Meetings held	600
Subscribers to "Our Homes"	230
Visits to sick and strangers	2,200
Papers and leaflets distributed	4.400

JOURNAL KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.	45
Visits to corrective and benevolent institutions	44
Garments distributed	1,386
Number pledged to "Tithe"	295
Number boxes of supplies sent	20
Number of parsonages assisted in the Conference, 2 (Falmout Burnside, \$100).	th, \$100;
Dues	\$785 00
Specials	1,119 00
Amount spent on local work	
Societies organized during year	10
"Let us study to show ourselves approved unto God."  KATE PETR	ΣΥ,
Conference Corresponding Sec	retary.
Shelbyville, Ky.	

# CHURCH EXTENSION.

The following appropriations are made:		
Polsgrove, Franklin county	\$200	00
Alexandria, Campbell county	100	
Straight Creek, Bell county	200	00
Hardwick Creek, Powell county	100	00
Sandfield, Wolfe county	100	00
Irvine, Estill county	300	00
Total	\$1,000	00
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Respectfully, J. L. CLARK, Secretary.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

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Sept. 7.	To assessment from London District	33	50
1903.	· Credits	\$1,637	34
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		\$1,440	50
Balanc	e in hands of Treasurer	\$196	84

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Received from the Conference Cashier this year:

Lexington District, assessed	\$495 00	Paid \$291	00
Covington District, assessed	485 00	Paid 288	10
Shelbyville District, assessed	465 00	Paid 344	80
Maysville District, assessed	487 00	Paid 303	00
Danville District, assessed	438 00	Paid 239	00
Frankfort District, assessed	455 00	Paid 209	00
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	<b>\$2,825</b> 00	\$1,674	90
Appropriated to Parent Board	\$837 45-		
Appropriate to Conference Board	837 45		
	\$1,674 90	\$1,674	90

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#### Endowment Fund Account.

Notes secured by liens on real estate\$34,200	00
Bank stocks 15,131	
Cash in bank	39
Total\$51,877	64
Conditional and unconditional obligations not collected\$7.231	0.0

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	\$200	00
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  - 3. That each presiding elder see that his district is organized.
  - 4. That we arrange for an annual Epworth League Conference.
- 5. That we arrange for an Epworth League Anniversary at our next Annual Conference.

H. G. TURNER, President.

J. W. CRATES, Secretary.

## BIBLE SOCIETY.

Your board is rejoiced to report a successful year for the American Bible Society. We hail with gratitude the good news of a reduction in the deficit reported last year.

The Society is doing a most noble and far-reaching work. No benevolence outweighs it in importance. The demand for the Word of God and the opportunity for its distribution was never as great as now.

Despite the political troubles in the far east, the demand for the Word of God at the present time is marvelous. Therefore, we beg leave to offer the following resolutions:

(1). That eleven hundred dollars be assessed upon the Kentucky Conference for the Bible Cause.

(2). That the pastors take up the annual offering early in the Conference year.

(3). That each pastor preach on the Bible at least once during the year.

T. W. BARKER, Chairman.

C. A. BROMLEY, Secretary.

## BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Your committee would respectfully submit that, in the communication from our Book Agents at Nashville, we note with delight the unprecedented sales of the past year, and the profit thereon of \$51,352.02. This is the more remarkable in face of practically no demand for our obsolete Hymnal, and no income from our general organ.

To only a few of our preachers is it needful to say that no book or publishing house in our broad land offers a larger variety of first class literature, or better terms or more prompt and courteous service. It may be worth while, however, to say to many more that no slight cause should divert even temporarily our patronage from our own establishment. Our Review is invaluable to us. Our Sunday-School and League publications have reached an enormous sale, and yet not half of what they deserve, and must have, if we are to protect our homes and preserve the foundations of our Methodism. No influence that creates and shapes character should receive in this age such careful prevision, ample provision and prayerful solicitude as the literature of our young people.

That the Nashville "Christian Advocate," our connectional organ, and the "Central Methodist," our Conference organ, have but a meager support is cause for alarm and heart searching. It would abate our apprehension if cause for this could be found in the poverty of our people, or in the literary or spiritual deficiency of these papers. That their places are filled by secular journals, at greater expense, only intensifies the fear for the spiritual safety of our flocks.

This, more than any period, is a reading age, and pre-eminently the age of the newspaper. The official statistics of the newspaper press give an annual circulation of nearly nine billion copies, or nearly two copies per day for every family in our country. Of this literature our religious papers form an almost inconsiderable part.

We need a Christian interpretation of the providential changes taking place everywhere—a force that makes for peace, purity, reverence, truth and faith in God and His revelation. We need an exponent of doctrine and a leader of enterprises that shall unify the effort and connectionalize the spirit of our people. Such are the Christian Advocate and Central Methodist: The first by generous enterprise of our church, provided with a magnificent plant and an editorial staff as finely endowed as any in our broad land; the latter, through the liberality of brother Wirgman, with an adequate plant, and under editorial conduct of Bro. Batson, whose intellectual and moral qualifications have been vindicated by many years of faithful service under the eyes of our people.

We take no risks with these. We take many without them. None surpass them for our purposes—in fact none equal them. We offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That we will make a steady and resolute effort to introduce one or the other of these papers, and, if possible, both, into every family in our membership during the next year.

C. F. EVANS, Secretary.

## TEMPERANCE.

The law of God is a law of prohibition, prohibiting every thing that is wrong. The liquor traffic is wrong; then it is the duty of every citizen of the Kingdom of God to uphold the law. When he fails to do this he can not be said to be a good citizen.

If any enemy should assail our Civil Government, and one of our subjects should side with the enemy, said subject would be branded

as a traitor. The liquor traffic is legalized and sustained by the suffrage of the people. Therefore, when any Christian casts his ballot for a man or party bound to the liquor traffic the said voter is alding and abetting the traffic.

Bro. T. W. Watts, a member of our Committee on the "Interdenominational Local Option Committee" of Kentucky, reports that he has collected about \$150 and sent the same to said Committee.

We hail with joy all the movements looking to the ultimate destruction of this traffic. A communication from the Kentucky Interdenominational Local Option Committee sets forth a plan by which this work may be transferred to the Anti-Saloon League, which plan we most heartily endorse, and would especially impress the need of our clergy and laity helping by sympathy, endorsement and contribution that portion of the work which looks toward the employment of an attorney to look after all legal phases of the work in the State.

Resolved (1). That we promise to co-operate with the officers of said League in whatever they desire our co-operation. Also that we will welcome its workers to our church houses to present their work.

Resolved (2). That we recommend the appointment of Revs. J. L. Weber and J. D. Redd as delegates to convention to be held at Columbus, O., and as trustees of said league of State of Kentucky Revs. J. W. Hughes, J. A. Sawyer and W. E. Arnold from the clergy, and Messrs. Brice Goldsboro and Geo. W. Bain from the laity.

Resolved (3). That, whereas it has been the voice of this body, so expressed at the Nicholasville Conference that we do not use fermented wine at our sacramental services, we sincerely urge the faithful observance of the same.

Resolved (4). That we pledge ourselves by every laudable means to do all in our power, through the proper State officials or in any way possible, private or public, to secure the pasage of the Hepburn-Doliver bill in our U. S. Congress.

Resolved (5). That inasmuch as the use of tobacco is injurious to nerve and mind, and is not a wholesome example for the young, be it respectfully requested of our ministers that they refrain from the use of the same.

Resolved (6). Since, as head of a great church, Bishop Potter has publicly given his blessing to the notorious "Subway Saloon," in the City of New York, that we, as a Conference, record our unalterable disapproval of such conduct, and express ourselves as believing it will be fruitful in the loss of the soul of many men and women.

J. D. REDD, Secretary.

## SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The Sabbath is one of the two institutions which have come down to us from Eden, and, like marriage, is universal in its nature, and is adapted to all conditions of humanity.

The law of the Sabbath was originally written in the constitution

of man, and later was embodied in the decalogue, recognized and confirmed by the Son of God, and perpetuated as the Lord's day of the Christian Church.

We are alarmed at the rapidly increasing disregard for the sanctity of this day of rest. It is becoming a day of self-gratification—of feasts and social functions, of pastimes and popular amusements.

The open saloon and the open Sabbath are twin evils which must be suppressed if we preserve our civilization, and transmit to posterity the benign institutions received from our fathers.

The grasping and grinding spirit of avarice is converting the Sabbath into a day of business, and robbing millions of laborers of their

God-given day of rest and worship.

The strenuous living of the present time demands, as never before, a weekly day of rest. The duty of the church in preserving the day of rest is plain. The pulpit and the religious press must be prime factors in this great struggle. Christian men and women everywhere must contend for the maintenance of this divine institution or it will be lost.

Resolved (1). We heartily endorse the "International Congress on Sunday rest" to be held under the auspices of the "Universal Exposition" in St. Louis, October 11-14, 1904, composed of delegates from thirty-five countries, representing the Christian Churches of the World. We recommend that this Conference appoint two delegates to sit as members of that body, as requested by the Secretary of said Congress, Rev. Edward Thomson, L. L. D., Hall of Congress, Exposition Grounds, St. Louis. We nominate J. J. Dickey and T. F. Taliaferro as delegates to said Congress.

Resolved (2). That we will teach our people from the pulpit and by circulating literature on the subject, their obligation to keep the Sabbath holy, and the disastrous results both to Church and State that must inevitably follow the violation of the Sabbath law.

J. W. HUGHES, Chairman.

J. J. DICKEY, Secretary.

## ORPHANS' HOME.

The success of our Methodist Orphans' Home at Louisville is marvelous, and we hail with delight the fact that we have no liabilities. We owe no little to the untiring efforts of the President and the Agent for this success. From facts gathered we learn that there are now in the Home 62 children—29 girls and 33 boys, and applications for 21 more are being investigated. Six of these have been accepted, making 68 now in our Home.

Valuable improvements have been made during the year, all of which are paid for. We now have a Home equal to any in Kentucky. Donations in the way of boxes, clothing, etc., have exceeded any previous year. One thousand five hundred dollars have been received from

the will of Mrs. Catherine Wilson, with more to follow. We insert here the financial statement of the Board:

The financial statement at this date is as follows:

Home property, 906 Fifth St	
Elliott Ave. property	
Tenth street property	6,700 00
York street, between Fifth and Sixth	350,00
Furniture in Home, 906 Fifth street	2,000 00
Bills receivable	13,985 09
Cash endowment account in hands of Treasurer	. 196 78
Cash expense account in hands of Matron	20 27

Total .....\$77,952.14

Liabilities-None.

H. WIRGMAN, President.

Resolved (1) That we request the earnest co-operation of all the pastors and of our people in the support of our Methodist Orphans' Home, which has opened its doors to our orphans.

Resolved (2) That we ratify the appointment of E. S. Boswell as Agent, and of Mrs. Florence M. Pickard as Matron of the Home.

S. W. PEEPLES, Chairman.

F. T. McINTIRE, Secretary.

## DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

We have had before us the records of all the districts, and have carefully examined them.

The Lexington District Record has the appearance of being hastily and carelessly written, and to this we must attribute many mistakes.

The Frankfort District Record has the appearance of being a carefully made up record. It is a new book, with only one record in it.

The record of the Maysville District was on foolscap, and was not carefully written. The Maysville District has no Record Book. We think this is inexcusable. We call the attention of the presiding elder to it.

The Danville and Covington Districts both have well kept records. Respectfully submitted,

E. K. PIKE, Chairman.

T. B. COOK, Secretary.

## LEGAL CONFERENCE.

Lexington, Ky., September 5, 1904.

A session of the Legal Conference was held at the above time and place, W. F. Taylor, President, in the chair. The Treasurer, W. W. Ball, submitted his annual report as follows:

W. W. Ball, Treasurer of the Legal Conference of the M. E. Church, South, Kentucky Conference, begs leave to make the following report:

1904.		Dr.	
Sept. 1.	To interest on Magruder note, Demaree fund To interest on Kirkland bonds, Demaree fund	\$90 60	
	To interest on Mrs. F. Kelley fund	150	
		<b>\$</b> 300	00
1904.	Credits.		
Sept. 1.	Paid Rev. W. F. Wyatt, P. C., Christiansburg Circuit, Demaree interest	<b>\$1</b> 50	00
Sept. 1.	Paid Joint Board of Finance interest on Mrs. F. Kelley fund	<b>\$</b> 150	00
		\$300	00
Invest	ments from which above income is derived:		
	e Demaree fund in Treasurer's handse Mrs. F. Kelley fund in Treasurer's hands		
Total	\$	5,500	00

Respectfully submitted, W. W. BALL, Treasurer.

On motion, the officers of the Conference were re-elected to their respective places, Wm. F. Taylor, President; Wm. E. Arnold, Secretary; Wm. W. Ball, Treasurer; Investing Committee, W. F. Taylor, W. W. Ball and R. T. Marshall.

The minutes were read and approved, and the Legal Conference adjourned.

W. F. TAYLOR, President.

WM. E. ARNOLD, Secretary.

Table No. 1-Membership, Baptisms and Church Property, Frankfort District, 1904.

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Table	No.	1—Membership,	Baptisms	and	Church	Property,	Shelbyville	District,	1904.
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	Local	Mem	Total	Add.	Add	Rem	Adu	Infan	Soc's	House	s of Wor	SHIP		PARSONA	GES.	Mone for Par	Insur	
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Shelbyville		269 181 337 125 393 232 245 292 195 239 451 280 420 276 216 229 104	125 393 233 247 292 195 239 452 280 420	17 4 1 11  48 25 2	5 3 2 8 7 	25 17 6 25 21 6 10 3 21 9	14 4 1 5 	2 1 3 4 14 7 1 2	1 4 2 3	1 3 4 1 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 2 2 2 1 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> 3 4 3 1 2 2	\$ 20,000 8,000 20,000 8,000 6,500 3,000 4,500 10,000 4,500 3,700 9,000 10,000 6,000 4,500 5,500	\$562	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1,800 1,600	568 250	76 00 175 00 500 00 230 00  25 00 2,342 93 350 00 560 00 220 00	\$ 11,700 4,000 	21 00 4 60 24 80 15 00 17 00
Total	9	4484	4493	165	117	222	134	45	42	40 7-12	\$140,700	\$562	15	\$ 28,650	\$1,818	\$ 5,413 30	\$ 32.600	\$166 40

Table No. 1 .--- Membership, Baptisms, and Church Property, Lexington District, 1904.

	Local	Mem	Total	Addi fessi	Add.	Rem.	Adults	Infants	Soc's		Houses Worsh			]	Parsonag	ES.	Value Churc	Mone for (	Insuran	CICS.
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Lexington, Hill St, Lexington Epworth Spears Versailles	1 1 3	676 192 145 205 410 396 358 354 157 246 271 121 200 192 70 258 210 183 173	192 70 <b>25</b> 8	15	15 3 32 24 27 4 17 15 1 2	67 14 50 8 29 15 17 8 5 10 23 2 132 3 6 2	8 10 2 15 3 5 27 3 9 43 4 5 25 3 4 2	2 4 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 3 2 2 4 5 1 3 5 3 1 4 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 3 2 2 4 2 1 3 3 2 1 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	\$20,000 5,000 4,000 10,000 15,000 10,000 7,000 4,800 4,000 2,800 1,500 3,000 5,000 2,000 1,600 13,500 4,000 2,500 4,650		\$450	1	3,000 1,000 3,875 400 800 1,200 400 500 2,500		\$1,000  200  1,125	75 00 30 00 200 00 54 00 15 00 82 00 145 00 20 00 2,268 00 51 00	\$9,300 1,500  11,000 4,000 5,000  3,000 1,500  12,500	19 50 
Total	10	4,817		224		403	168	33		41		_	,125	14				\$3,577 21	\$47,800	\$369 50

<sup>\*</sup>Mt. Sterling Church damaged by fire, \$1,500; insurance collected, \$1,500.

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Danville	1 1 3	382 287 385 270 267 350 310 160 344 128 99 169 62 110 103 140 96 241 158 97 190 144	382 288 385 270 267 350 318 160 344 128 100 169 63 113 140 96 242 158 98 190 144	1 7 4 1 5	13 10 1 2  17 26 16 5 10 6 10 6 8 8 3 8 	10 10 18 2 5 54 30 19 17 20 3 10 1 6 2 61 13 5 38	16 17 2 13 7 1 5 1 1 7	1 1 10 2 12 5 2 1 3 1 12 6 1	4 1 3 4 3 3 1 1 1 3 3 5 5	1 3 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 4 3 2 3 1 1 3 3 1 1 1 3 3 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 1 1 3 3 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	\$ 27,000 8,000 4,200 3,000 1,500 4,500 6,000 1,000 7,200 4,000 2,500 3,000 8,000 2,200 1,200 6,000 5,000 5,700 1,500 10,000 3,000	80	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	\$ 2,500 1,000 900 550 500 1,500 1,800 1,000 2,000 600 	\$ 1,150 600 600		\$ 681 00 15 00 100 00 60 00 500 00 550 00 300 00 23 00 99 21 41 00 20 00 36 00  15 00 40 00 19 95 100 00 4,500 00 	400		25 . 00 00 00 00 00 

Table No. 1-Membership, Baptisms and Church Property, Covington District, 1904.

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*Covington, Scott St Covington, 11th St Newport Highland Cynthiana Foster Alexandria California Visalia Falmouth Butler Augusta and Dover Brooksville Hughes Ch. & Big Bone Erlanger and Florence Walton Kelat Williamstown	4 . 1 . 1	356 261 117 352 232 460 150 337 92 105	321 186 217 191 246 356 262 118 352 232 461 150 338 92 105 127 420 341	12 5 10 1 20 15 2 1 6 22 22 2 2 14 7 1 37 3	6 8 8 1 4  1 8 4 28 28	18 31 11 2 56 11 12 22 2 11 2 6 6 37	8 1 13 11 1 4 13 10 2 28 8 7	2 7 1	1 1 1 1 1 1 4 4 3 4 3 5 2 2 2 3 3 2 3	1 1 1 1 1 1 4 4 3 4 3 3 2 3 2 3 3 2 3	\$ 38,000 10,000 12,000 15,000 5,000 5,800 4,600 5,200 13,000 3,000 4,800 3,000 4,750 9,600	\$ 1,750 400	1	1,100 2,500 1,800 1,200 1,100 2,000 1,500 2,000 1,500 2,000	60	\$ 50	\$ 16,954 12 251 00 250 00 592 00 50 00 30 00 100 00 15 00 300 00 367 00 457 00  200 00 191 75 500 00 34 00 3,286 00	3.700	53 0 24 0 15 0

<sup>\*</sup>Scott Street Church damaged by fire, \$15,000; insurance collected, \$14,000.

†District Parsonage, value \$4,000.

Table No. 1-Membership, Baptisms and Church Property, Maysville District, 1904.

Recapitulation Table No. 1.—Membership, Baptisms and Church Property, Kentucky Conference, 1904.

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Frankfort . Shelbyville . Lexington . Danville . Covington	16 12	4484 4817 4492 4503	4493 4827 4508 4515	165 224 204 180	117 227 165 157	222 403 343 417	134 168 150 150	45 33 59 43	42 48 60 45	$53\frac{3}{4}$ $44$	$120,350 \\ 126,500 \\ 162,350$	562 2,125 530 2,151	15 14 18 13	28,650 24,575 23,750 33,450	\$500 1,818 500 2,850 4,547	\$7,150  2,825 1,700 50 900	\$5,283 15 5,413 30 3,577 21 7,280 16 23,577 87 9,504 29	\$20,750 32,600 47,800 39,800 59,350 32,250	\$95 43 166 40 369 50 306 75 547 55 394 40
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NAME OF CHARGE.	No. Epworth Leagues	No. League Members.	Am't raised by Leagues	No. Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers .	Scholars Enrolled.	Sunday School Supplies .	Collected for	Collected for Missions.	Children's Day		Collected for Other	Total Raised by Sunday Schools		No. of Soc's	No. Members	Total Money Raised		No. of Soc's	No. Members	Raised .	Total Money	Women's Soc's.	
Frankfort Georgetown		25 20 25 	\$15 5 40 0	1 1 2 2 2 4 4 1 4 4 5 5 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 2 1 2 1 1 1 1	13 22 7 31 20 15 20 20 14 22 24 25 9	145 69 143 50 110 250 35 200 100 125 80 95 110 140 145 125 80 145	49 27 20 13 8 25 20 20 10 40 17 21	$\begin{array}{c} 00 \\ 84 \\ 68 \\ 00 \\ 64 \\ 40 \\ 65 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 0$	\$12 0 15 0 7 9	0 2 58 8 00 2 75 		\$37 87 4 55 48 43 1 40 30 00 1 80 7 64 10 00 1 10 60 00 3 00 17 00 6 00	\$119 0-38 55 107 35 29 05 65 06 13 6-10 26 47 8 28 06 10 7 20 06 30 06 11 16 142 06 38 06 40 06 31 06 15 06	53 38 80 44	1 1 1 2 1 1 3 1 1 2 2 2 2	14 21 35 6 	53 16 	30 00 10 00	2	39	10	09	\$51 70 82 53 16  80 75  335 50 10 89	30 00 10 00 90 00
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Table No. 2—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Women's Societies. Shelbyville District, 1904.

Table No. 2.---Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Women's Societies, Lexington District, 1904.

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Name of Charge.	No. Leagues	No. League Members.	Am't Raised by Leagues	No. Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars Enrolled.	for Sunday School Supplies.	Collected	Collected for Missions	Collected on Children's Day	for Other Objects	Collected	Tot'l Raised by Sunday Schools.	No, Soc's.	No. Mem- bers	Tot'l Money Raised.	No. Soc's.	No. Mem- bers	2. 5	otal Collected Women's Societies
Lexington. Hill St,. Lexington Epw'th. Spears Versailles Winchester Mt. Sterling Camargo Gras'y L'k & Mt.Z'n Owingsville Clay City Campt'n & Hazel G Jackson	1 1 1	40 88		1 2 1 1 1 3 2 1 3 2 1 1	24 15 16 9 16 18 15 6 20 14	217 120 120 104 180 140 150 39 195 100 150	\$156 70 16 54 91 53 15 35 16 20 17 28	00 00 13 00 00 00 00 85 00 50		3 45 9 18 6 00	\$10 	00 00 00 00 00 	16 00 151 22 202 00 96 00 50 00 49 50 19 30 71 97 29 00 31 50	2 1 1 	43 24 20 	\$175 00 	1 2	20 40 	88 80	55 00 140 33 70 00 200 00
Irvine	1	38		3 2	10 15 8 18 12 11 12	150 135 62 113 120 100 90	30 10 12 57 	00 00 00 25 85 00	25 60 2 00 2 50	4 02	1 6 19	65 10 91 61	18 10 106 78 2 00	1	22  28  8 	264 58		5		32 0 264 5

Table No. 2-Epworth Leagues. Sunday Schools and Women's Societies, Danville District, 1904.

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Table No. 2-Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Women's Societies, Covington District, 1904.

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Name of Charge.	No. League Members. No. Epworth Leagues.	Am't Rais	No. Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars En- rolled .	68	Collected for	Collected for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day		Collected for Other Ob-	0 0 1		No. Societies	No. Members	Total Money Raised	No. Societies	No. Members	Total Money Raised	Collected by nen's Suc's .
Covingt'n, Scott St Covington, 11th St Newport Highland Cynthiana Foster Alexandria California Visalia Falmouth Butler Augusta & Dover. Brooksville Hughes Chapel & Big Bone Erlang'r& Flor'nce Walton Kelat Williamstown	2 8 6 1 30 1 20 1 50 4 140 1 38 1 38	61 04 165 00 98 73 35 00 10 10 00 212 00 10 00 212 00 10 00 10 00 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	1 1 1 1 1 2 2 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	16 23 16 16 13 22 28 22 24 37 18 14 11 4 7 16 22	120 300 167 178 75 160 197 215 210 100 115 98 50 40 125 220	42 213 106 38 8 8 13 42 61 53 39 43 75 28 27 18 16 45	28 00 84 00 00 00 00 44 00 00 73 16 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 0	\$75 00 16 00 50 00 25 00 12 00  5 00 19 00 19 84  5 00 10 00 6 00 43 40	\$7 66 8 29 6 12 1 66 7 50 	5	\$15 00 16 2' 	7	55 56 59 50 50 50 34 56 50 30 34 56 50 30 83 4 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90	1 1 2	53 	\$112 30 	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	12 	68 05 10 00 	50 00 130 60 147 99 42 69 23 20  36 00 113 60  73 00 203 80  18 35  114 08
Total	19 681	\$939 77	38	327	2725	\$1025	06 \$	297 96	\$68 82	\$3	330 10	\$1721 9	4	14	224	\$541 99	13	181	\$545 34	\$1087 33

Table No. 2-Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Women's Societies, Maysville District, 1904.

		Epw.					Sun	DAY SCH	iools.					Foreign ry Soo'y	Wo	MAN'	SOCIETY	Total Wor
NAME OF CHARGE.	No. Epworth Leagues	No. League Members.	Am't raised by Leagues	No. Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers .	Scholars Enrolled.	Sunday School Supplies.	Collected for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day	Collected for Other Objects	Total Raised by Sunday Schools	No. Societies	No. Members	Total Money Raised · ·	No. Societies	No. Members	Total Money Raised .	Total Collected by Women's Soc's .
Maysville E. Maysville		40 62	\$103 00 88 53 	1 2 3 3 4 4 4 4 5 3 3 4 2 3 2 1 1 2 1	24 17 24 27 25 28 27 23 13 23 12 28 17	125 198 150 178 322 242 125 89 150 100 189 160 60	\$45 00 39 30 125 00 52 00 25 00 42 00 36 85 70 00 148 00 25 00 30 00 30 00 87 23 12 68 27 00	3 82 23 00 5 55 9 00 14 91 30 00 8 00 5 00 17 35 11 34 3 00 15 00	4 00 5 00 3 25 2 00 1 45 6 00 3 87 10 00 5 64 6 00	82 20 	\$100 55 129 03 152 00 85 28 38 80 51 00 49 75 86 36 221 00 41 00 52 94 54 00 33 87 59 00 137 57 24 94 121 00		29 11	284 00 38 55 34 00 56 00 45 00 52 00 85 00	1 2	22	1 50 10 00 	1 50 284 00 38 55  10 00  34 00 804 00  45 00  160 00  57 95
Total	9	258	<b>\$</b> 444 93	50	340	2681	\$845 06	\$165 97	\$64 47	\$362 59	\$1438 09	13	209	\$832 50	7	95	\$1091 50	\$1924 00

## Recapitulation Table No. 2-Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools and Women's Societies, Kentucky Conference, 1904.

		Epwo Leag						S	JND	AY S	оно	OLS.								Fores				Soc's		by V	Tota]
NAME OF DISTRICT.	No. Epworth Leagues .	No. League Members.	by Leagues	-	No. Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars Enrolled.	School Supplies ·	Collected for	for Missions	Collected	on Children's Day	Collected	for Other Objects.	Collected	Sund ools	Tot'l Raised	No. Societies	No. Mem- bers	Raised.	7.5	No. Societies	No. Mem- bers	Raised .	No.	by Women's So-	Collected
Frankfort . Shelbyville . Lexington . Danville . Covington . Maysville.	7 3 6 8 19	261 216	181	00 27 65 77	39 33 41 38	318 260 266 344 327 340	2425 2699 2725	671 647 747 1025	48 33 76 06	68 201 128 297	96 99 41 96	29 30 49	66 83 10 82	204 267	51 33 80 10	974 1147 1154 1721	61 48 07 94	20 27 10 11 14 13	248 349 226 170 224 209	770 385	24 58 91 99	3 -13 -8 -12 -13 -7	184 173 187	364 589 1166 545	15 02 57 34	1229 1359 1552 1087	39 60 48 33
Total Total 1903.			\$1720 1132			1855 1871		\$4398 4416						\$1622 1402		\$7252 6847			1426	\$4230	63	56	872	\$3834	67	\$8055	30
Increase			\$588	<b>7</b> 6			501							\$219	41	\$404	95						 				
Decrease	6	301			5	16		\$17	57	\$32	70	\$10	61													1	

<sup>\*</sup>Of the 52 Epworth Leagues, 10 are Junior Leagues.

Table No. 3.—Finance—Frankfort District, 1904.

NAME OF	Pres: Eli		Ркело: Сна:		Bisi	iors	Co		Fore		Do Miss		Сни Ехт		EDU		Am: Bir Soc	LE	Ex. Gr Cor		Pay & L	
CHARGE.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Frankfort	\$108 84 117 52 75 78 32 55 46 70 45 40 57 76 104 43 64 60	\$108 78 117 49 60 78 28 55 40 70 42 38 53 44 104 36 43 60 8	625 1000 400 600 640 275 425 400 610 375 325 550 500 750 450	\$800 600 1000 378 571 605 240 429 352 560 250 300 490 350 750 439 362 465	13 15 7 12 18 8 14 15 18 6 10 11 14 10 10	\$10 9 15 7 8 5 1 4 4 15 	\$50 46 52 25 42 57 30 47 53 61 ·	\$39 35 52 25 20 17 4 20 18 25 5 11 9 49 13 4	\$85 78 88 42 71 117 60 80 91 104 48 67 62 84 65 59 69	\$59 68 88 57 65 18 8 50 25 30 	\$59 54 61 29 50 60 30 55 63 72 	48 61 29 34 35 4	\$30 27 31 15 25 36 19 28 32 36 	\$21 20 31 15 10 10 3 10 8 9 4 8 5 30 10 4 9	\$37 34 38 18 31 38 20 35 40 45 	\$26 25 38 18 7 11 3 10 10 11 	\$11 10 11 5 9 14 6 10 12 13 3 9 8 11 2 7	\$11 7 11 5 2 2 1 4 2 4 	\$4 4 4 3  9  3 3 4	\$2 3 4 4 1  3  1 1 1 1	\$4 4 4 2 3 5 2 4 4 	*
Total	\$1221		\$9833		\$207	\$110	**************************************	*361	\$12 <b>7</b> 0	\$662	\$840	- \$460		\$207	\$528	\$234	<b>\$</b> 150	\$72		\$28	<b>\$ 48</b>	\$2

Table 1	No. 3	-Finance-	Shelbyville	District,	1904.
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	Presi		Ркело: Сна		Bisi	IOPS	CLAI	NF. M'TS.	Fore Missi		Do Miss		Спи	- 1	EDU		AM BII Soc		Ex. I GE Con	N.	PAY & L	
NAME OF CHARGE.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Shelbyville Simpsonville	\$125 100 100 100 100 73 62 75 75 38 100 75 71 100 94 75 75	\$125 92 97 100 70 55 75 75 36 100 64 66 91 94 73 75	800 800 800 590 500 650 700 280 850 600 570 800 670 600 700	738 787 800 558 398 600 700 271 850 503 471 700 670 511	15 15 15 11 9 10 11 6 15 11 11 15 14 11	15 7 10 11 6 10 11 4 12 11 4 15 8 7	52 52 52 38 32 36 39 14 52 39 38 52 48 29 39	52 27 20 45 21 36 39 13 41 39 13 52 30 21 39	\$105 92 92 . 92 . 67 . 57 . 64 . 69 . 65 . 92 . 85 . 69 	92 43 62 80 44 64 69 24 74 69 25 75 69 69	\$79 63 64 64 47 40 44 48 24 63 48 45 62 60 48 48	\$69 63 34 40 47 26 88 48 18 50 48 16 55 40 29 48	\$42 33 33 34 21 23 25 13 33 25 24 33 31 25 25 	33 18 20 24 14 23 25 9 26 25 8 22 18 14	\$48 39 39 28 24 27 29 15 39 29 27 39 29 	\$42 39 17 10 28 16 27 29 10 31 29 20 22 17 29 	\$13 10 10  7 6 7 8 4 10 8 7 10 9 8 8  \$125	19 4 30 7 4 7 8 2 8 8 2 5 5 8	6	\$ 7 8  5 3 6 3 2 6 6 2 8 4 3 6  8	3 4 4 3	3 2 3 3 1 3 

Table No. 3.---Finance—Lexington District, 1904.

N. Commen	PRESI		Ркеас Сна	HER IN	Bisi	IOPS		NF. IM'TS.	Fore Missi			OM. HONS.	Сни		EDU	JOA- DN.	Br	BLE	1	DEL. EN. N'F.	Pa & L	YNE
Name of Charge.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Lexington, Hill St,.	\$224	\$224	\$1800	\$1800	\$34	\$34	\$119	\$119	\$213		<b>\$148</b>	\$148	\$77	\$77	\$89	\$89		-		\$17		4
Lexington Epw'th.	72	72	600	550	11	7	38	19	68	34	47	24	25	12	28	14	9	5		6	3	
Spears	44	41	275	223	7		23	2	42	2	25	2	15	1	17	1	5	0.5	3		$\frac{2}{3}$	
Versailles	84	84		800	13	13	-		79	79			29	29	33	33	1			6	7	
Winchester	174	175	1600	1600	26	26		92	165	165			59	59	69	69	21	21	13			
Mt. Sterling	135	135	1000	1000		21	72	72	128	128		89	46	46	54		16	16		11	5	
Camargo	88	88	425	443	13	3		11	83	37	58	23	30	7	35	9		3	1	1	4	
Fras'y L'k & Mt.Z'n	88	88	650	576	13	8	47	47	. 83	54		40	30	8	35	9	11	2	6		3	
Owingsville	37	37	400	400	6	5	19	$15'_1$	35	11		18	13	7	13	8	4		3	1	1	
Clay City	47	27		129	7		25		47		31	5	15		18	• •	6					
Campt'n & Hazel G	52	39	300		8	, ,	28		30	9	47.47	9	18		21		6		4	•	, .	٠
ackson	44	44	350	450	6		21		40		20	3	12		14		5					
rvine	54	51	400	375				6		6		6		6	• •		• •				• •	
renchburg	31	22	192	151	5		17		30		21	1	11	1		1 .	4		2		• •	
Hindman & Hazard	17	11		147	2		9		16		10		6		7		2	10	1			
Nicholasville	109	109	1000	1000	17	17	58	58	103	103	72	72	37	37	43	43	13	13	8	8	• •	
College Hill	71	60	375	325	11		57		67		47		24		21		2		9			
Vest Liberty	83	78	250	238	4		17	!	31	18	21	21	11		13		4		3		3	
Iorehead	46	14	261		6	1	13	3	48	3	24	8	15	1	15	• •	3	• •		• •	• •	
Total	\$1500	\$1399	\$10678	\$10432	\$210	\$135	<b>\$746</b>	\$488	\$1308	\$862	\$899	\$633	\$173	\$291	\$538	\$329	<b>\$148</b>	\$112	<b>\$9</b> 0	\$65	\$38	*

	Presi Eld		Рве ас Сна		Bisi	IOPS	Co CLAI		Fore Mission		Do Miss		Сни	RCH	EDU		Am Bir Cor	BLE	Ex. I Ge Co:	N.	PAY & L	YNE ANE.
Name of Charge	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Danville		\$123 81 53 52 43 130 101 53 76 45 9 63 22 34 17 90 49 89 29 11	\$900 600 550 275 300 1000 870 456 600 300 225 190 800 700 800 340 100 800 320	610	7 13 5 	8 13 3 6 2 7 6 10 1	39 20 31 26 64 48 25 48 20 	64 48 4 21 10 30 5 2 	 54	10 38 20 	\$72 48 50 39 33 77 59 31 59 24 	28 30 16 7 77 59 10 26 12 37 16 4 5 41 29 50	\$36 23 25 19 16 38 29 15 29 12 	38 29 3 13 6  18 8 2 	\$44 28 29 23 20 46 36 18 36 14 	7 · · · · 22 · · · · 1 · · · · 17 18 29 1	\$13 7 9 7 6 14 10 5 10 4 6 3 4 3 10 5 9 4 	5 2  14 10 1 6 2  6  5 5 20 1	5 5 4 3 	\$4 1 2  7  4  6	2 3 1	

Table No. 3—Finance—Covington District, 1904.

N. C.	PRESI		Pread Сна		Візн	OPS	Co Clai	NF. M'TS.	Fore Missi		Do Miss		Сни Ехт		EDU		Br	BLE C'Y.	Ex. Gr Cor		PAY & LA	
NAME OF CHARGE.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Covingt'n, Scott St	<b>\$</b> 160	<b>\$16</b> 0	\$1300	\$1300	\$20	\$20	\$70	\$70	<b>\$</b> 123	<b>\$123</b>	<b>\$</b> 86	\$86	\$44	\$44		\$52				\$10	\$5	\$
Covington, 11th St	65	43		425	12	7	42	12	72	15	50	13	27	10	31	2	9		6		3	
Newport	90	90	650	650	12	12		42	72	72	50	50	27	27	21	21	9		6	6	3	
Highland	100	100	800	807	12	12		40	70		48	48	26	26		29	9		6	6	3	
Cynthiana	140	140	1000	1000	15	15		40	102	70	70	45	28		43	28	12	12	8	6	4	
Foster	60	38	432	297	12	2		8	70	10	48	7	26	3								٠
Alexandria	58	54	500	435		6		15	77	25	51	15	29	5		5	9	- 1	7	2		
California	30	30	250	140	7	1	23		40	3	30	2	14	1	17	1	6		2 7			0
Visalia	70	70	650	601	14	7	49	23	85	39	59	26	31	14		16				2	4	
Falmouth	80	77	700	562	12	7	42	27	72	48	51	33	26	15		20	9		6	3	3	
Butler	77	77	700	705	17	9	57	29	98	5()	68	34	36	20	42	22	13	8	8	6	4	
Augusta & Dover.	42				!															•		
Brooksville	75	75	500	500	12	5	43	10	75	75	52	52	27	10	32	10	10	3	6	6	3	
Hughes Chapel &																2.0	_	_				
Big Bone	75	75	650	650		9		30	53	53	36	36	20	20	22	22	7		4	4	2	
Erlang'r&Flor'nce	44	37	350	288		2	24	8	42	14	29	10	16	4	18	5		2	4	1	4	
Walton	44	37	300	240	5	2	17	5	30	10		10	11	4	13		4				21	•
Kelat	90	86	700	562	16	10	57	36	98	63	68	45	36	23	42	26	13		8	5	4	
Williamstown	100	100	800	800	13	14	58	62	98	124	68	84	36	37	42	43	13	14	7		4	
Total	\$1400	\$1289	\$10882	\$10062	\$207	\$140	\$737	\$457	\$1277	\$864	\$885	\$596	\$460	\$288	\$503	\$302	\$154	\$107	\$95	\$64	\$46	\$

Table	No.	3Finance-	-Maysville	District,	1904.
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	Presi Eld		Ркело Сна		Bisi	HOPS	Co	1	Fore Missi		Do Miss	om. ions.	Сни			JOA- ON.	Bi	ER. BLE	Ex. Gr Cor	en.	PAY & L	
NAME OF CHARGE.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Maysville E. Maysv. & Conc'd Mt. Carmel Germantown Mt. Olivet Hillsboro Tollsboro Tilton Flemingsburg Vanceburg Bethel & Sharpsb'g Moorefield North Middletown . Salt Well Carlisle Shannon & Sardis . Wash'gt'n & Hebron	\$125 30 85 64 90 118 45 95 90 55 64 68 50 80 108 65 58	\$125 30 85 64 70 88 42 74 90 55 60 68 46 55 108 65 58	375 700 550 500 750 285 705 800 535 750 520 500 380	366 675 550 460 645 244 574 800 434 700 375 458 349	5 14 11 15 20 7 16 16 10 11 12 8 13 18	14 11 10 9 2 10 16 8 5 2 5 2 18	19 50 38	62 25	\$130 34 88 70 95 122 40 100 95 58 73 78 54 84 114 70 61	55 9 80	24 64 48 65 85 33 68 70 40	23 75 48 34 40 7 40 70 9 28 10 28 9	\$15 10 32 24 35 45 16 35 34 20 26 25 19 30 43 27 21	32 24 14 21 3 20 34 5 13 5 12	35	36 28 13 23 4 23 37 37	4 10 8 12 15 5 12 14 7 9 8	10 8 6 7 2 8 14 4 10 2	2 7 5 7 10 3 8 8 2  5 7.1	7 5 4 4 1 1 4 8 2 2 2 2 2 2	\$6 1 4 3 4 5 2 4	7
Total	\$1290	\$1183	\$10950	<b>\$10230</b>	\$218	\$149	<b>\$</b> 765	\$513	\$1366	\$909	\$943	\$648	\$487	\$301	<b>\$563</b>	\$332	<b>\$14</b> 6	\$111	\$97	<b>\$6</b> 3	\$41	\$30

## Recapitulation Table No. 3-Finance-Kentucky Conference, 1904.

NAME OF	Pres	DING DER.	Preact Chai		Візн	OPS	CLA			EIGN SIONS.		om. ions.		ROH	ED TIC	UCA- ON.	Bu	BLE O'Y.	G	Del. en. n'f.	Pag & L	yne ane.
DISTRICT.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid
Frankfort . Shelbyville . Lexington . Danville . Covington . Maysville .	1388 1500 1439	1399 1294 1289	10910 10678 11326 10882	10195 10432 10130 10062	189 210 194 207	135 118 140	677	545	1308 1201 1277	\$ 62 989 862 793 864 909		\$460 719 633 551 596 648	443 473 408 460	341 291 242	\$528 516 538 495 503 563	\$234 375 329 265 302 332	148 143	128 112 111 107	97 90 70 95	69 65 36 64	\$48 41 38 44 46 41	3 2
Total Total 1903 .	\$8188 7481		\$64579 64286		\$1225 1288	\$811 798					\$5349 4650	\$3607 2930	\$2726 2825	\$1670 1652	\$3143 3000	*1837 1718	\$8 <b>6</b> 6	\$641 567	\$497	\$325		\$18 20
Increase	\$707	\$618	\$293	\$1854		\$13		\$71			\$699	\$677		\$18	\$143	\$119	\$866	\$74	\$497	32 5		
Decrease					\$63		\$212		\$664	\$370			\$99 .								\$81	\$18

Table No. 4-FRANKFORT DISTRICT.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members.	Claim of Presiding Elder	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per member	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. Paid	Amount per Member
FRANKFORT	294	\$103.00	\$108.00	\$800.00	\$800.00	100	\$3.09	\$250	\$294	\$212	72	\$0.72
Georgetown— Georgetown Oxford	142 51	63.00 21.00		500.00 125.00	500.00 100.00	79	3.96 2.25		203			
Total	193	\$4.00	78.00	625.00	600.00	95	3.52	150	j 270	218	81	1.13
Paris	195	117.00	117.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	100	5.72		304	304	100	1.56
GHENT— Ghent Marvin	76 6S	1	20.00	250.00 150.00	228.00 150.00	100	3.38 2.20		55	74	134	
Total	144	52.00	49.00	400.00	378.00	94	2.96	····	147	162	110	1.12
Warsaw Warsaw Drury	13S 105	37.50 37.50	$\begin{vmatrix} 37.50 \\ 23.00 \end{vmatrix}$	375.00 225 00	375.00 196.00				0.0			
Total	243	75.00	60.00	600.00	571.00	93	2.59	150	246	149	60	.61
ODDVILLE— Oddville Sunrise Barlow Mt, Vernon Total	82 149 117 127 475	19.50 19.50 19.50	19.50 19.50 19.50	150.00 167.70 122.30 200.00 640.00	123.00 167.70 114.30 200.00	100 94 100	1.25 1.14 1.73		90	1 20 3 56	18 30 51	.11 .17 .44
Polsgrove—		1	10.00	010.00	000.00		1.10		. Jak	100		1
Polsgrove Harvieland Jacksonville Pleasant View	50 65	8.00 6.00 9.00	S.00 4.00 8.00	\$0.00 70.00 45.00 80.00	\$1.06 60.07 20.06 90.06	87 47 1 99	1.09 .48 1.35	3	.) 5( .) 2; .) 5(	) 1( 5  2 5  9	20 8 19	.16 .04 .14
Total	248	32.00	28.00	270,09	261.00	94	1.10	31	.  178	5 26	3 14 	.10
PORT ROYAL— Port Royal Dean's Turner's Pleasant Union Bethel	82 197 28 102 48	24.00 5.00 15.00	24.00 5.00 15.00	78.000 189.00 30.00 113.00 15.00	189.00 30.00	0 100 0 100 0 100	1.08 1.25 1.30		. 123	3 76 9 6 4 28	61 61 61 33 61 33	.38 .22 .24
Total	457			425 00	429.00				-			
GRATZ— Gratz Lockport Cleveland Total	134		1!	200.00 140.00 50.00	115.00 37.00	)  S2 )  74	1.25			1		
	2-16	40.00	10.00	600,00	002.00		1.00					
HINTON— Boyers Hinton Mt. Zion White Oak	115 152 82	17.50 17.50 17.50	17.50 17.50 17.50	200.00 100.00 210.00 100.00	85.00 175.00 100.00	0! 87 0! 84 0!100	$\begin{vmatrix} .89 \\ 1.26 \\ 1.43 \end{vmatrix}$	31 31				
Total	595	70.00	70.001	610.00	560.00	92	1.00	1	1	1	1	
CORINTH— Corinth Mason Kavanaugh Sadieville	60	11.25 11.25 11 25	11.25 11.25 8.25	90.00 75.00	90.00 40.00 40.00	0/100 0  50 0  55	1.75 1.67 1.28 1.60		.			
Total	180	45.00	42.00	380.00	245,00	0 67	1.59	)		1		

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Table No. 4-FRANKFORT DISTRICT-Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members	Claim of Presiding Elder	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in charge	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per member.	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. paid	Amount per Member
MONTEREY-	1		i				j					
Monterey Owenton	20 401	\$10.00  10.00	\$ 9.001 10.001	\$30.00	\$20.00		\$1.31		\$17	014		06.95
Lusby	80	10.00	9.00	65.90	75.00 70.00				23 23	\$14	39	\$0.35 .11
Gestville	75	10.00	10.00	65.00	60.00		.93		23	S	341	.10
Walnut Grove	25			50.00	50.00	100			29	3	13	.12
Sweet Owen	25			30.001	25.00	83	1.00		15	[		
Total	267	40.00	38.00	320.00	300.00	93	1.26		126	34	27	.12
Мт. Норв	301	57.00	53.00	530 00	490.00	92	1.80		288	70	24	.23
NEW COLUMBUS-												
New Columbus	152	38.00	21.00	250.00	167.00		1.24		108	21	20	.14
Salem	176	38.00	26.00	250.00	183.00	-			108	34	31	.19
Total	328	76.00	47.00	500.00	350.00	69	1.21	60	216	65	25	.17
MILLURSBURG	184	104.00	104.00	750,00	750.00	100	4.64	200	292	292	100	1.59
LAWRENCEBURG-	1	1										
Lawrenceburg	31	10.00	10.00	100.00	100.00					-	05	.06
Tyrone	115	10.00	10.00	125.00	151.00						100	.43
Mt. Edwin	74	10.00	8.00	125.00 $40.00$	91.00 17.00						34	
Mortonsville			8.00	125.00	91.00						17	.13
Total	-	42.00	36.00	515.00	450.00							
SALVISA-						1						
Salvisa	67	19.00	11.00	165.00	129.00			}				
Joseph's Chapel . Mt. Hebron		18.00 14.00	12.00	175.00 60.00	112.00 76.00							
Clay Lick		13.00	9.00	50.00	50.00			 				
Total	334	64.00	43.00	450.00	367.00		1	ı				
PETERSBURG							1					
Petersburg	0.1	28.00	18.00					1		1	64	
Burlington			10.00					i				
Taylorsport East Bend	19	$\frac{10.00}{20.00}$	S.60! 20.60!	60.00 180.00					S	40	50	1 4
Total	215	63.00	56.00	490.00	465.00					-		-
RUDDLE'S MILLS	68	15.00	S.00	60.00	60.0	90	ji 9999					-

## SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT.

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SHELBYVILLE	269 \$125.0	\$125.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,099.00	100	\$4.18	\$200	\$395	\$350	88	\$1.30
SIMPSONVILLE-											
Simpsonville	88; 50.	00 46.00	400.00	368.00	92	4.70		159	166	105	1.88
Hebron			250.00	225.00	63	4.47		98	94	95	1.74
Tunnel Hill	40  25.	00; 25.00	150.00	145.00	97	4.25		59	63	106	1.57
Total	182 \$100.	00 \$92.00	\$800.00	\$738.00	92	\$4.56	\$100	\$316	\$323	102	\$1.77
TAYLORSVILLE-							1				
Taylorsville	61 \$25.	60 \$25.00	\$180.00	\$167.00	93	\$3.14		\$50	\$29	57	\$0.46
Carrithers	76' 25.	00 - 25.00	235.00	235.00							
Olive Branch										38	
Rockbridge	65 15.	60 25.03	180.00	180.00	100	3.15	1	81	40	50	.62
Total	337 1100.	00  \$97.00	\$800.00	\$787.00	98	\$2.6:	\$200	) \$317	\$150	47	\$0.4
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Table No. 4-SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT-Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members	Claim of Presiding	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in charge	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per member.	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. Paid	Amount per Member
BLOOMFIELD	125	100.00	100.00	\$800.00	\$800.00	100	\$7.20	\$250	\$317	\$190	60	\$1.52
Chaplin	129 163	37.50 37.50	37.50 37.50	400.00 300.00	400.00 300.00					152 83		1.17 .51
Total	_92	(0.00)	75.00	700.00	700.00	100	2.65	]	235	235	100	.50
CHRISTIANSBURG— Christiansburg Clay Village Hardinsville Cropper Total	57 68 91 177 393	18.09 20.00 15.00 20.09	17.00 20.00 14.00 19.00	180.00 150.00 110.00 150.00	180.00 150.00 78.00 150.00	100 73 99	$\frac{2.50}{1.01}$				• • • •	2.12 .78 .20 .32
	080	15.00	10.00	590.00	558.00	94	1.60	103	250	250	108	0.03
Shiloh— Shiloh Wesley Chapel Mt. Taber		37.50 18.75 18.75	37.50 18.75 18.75	300.00 150.00 200.00	305.00 185.00 116.00	120 58	2.50	• • • • •	110 47 63	75 43	160 68	
Total	219	75.00	75.00	700.00	600.00 638.00		2.73	100	220	268		1.08
Bedford Bethel Hickory Grove Union Grove Total	139 137 63 113 452	1\$.00 18.00 19.00	19.00 18.00 19.00 10.00 66.00	178.00 178.00 178.00 136.00 107.00	166.00 162.00 104.00 72.00	93 91 79 65	1.33 1.31 1.94 .72		71 71 54 42	94   66   52   26	133 92 96	.68 .48 .82 .22
Prestonville— Prestonville Hopewell		19.00 19.00	17.00 19.00	130.00 150.00	105.00 166.10				60		38 100	• • • •
Total	195	38.00	36.00	280.00	271.00	96	1.52		1 121	84	69	43
CARROLLTON	239	100.00	100.00	850.00	850.00	100	3.97	150	316	252	80	1.05
Milton— Milton Mt. Pleasant Pleasant View Total		!		210.00 210.00 80.00 500.00	210.00 210.00 71.00 491.00	100			1		35	.27
Campbellsburg Campbellsburg Sulphur Gilead Cove Hill		25.00 25.00 25.00	25.00 27.00 20.00		200.00 100.00	) 100 ) 101 )   53		195	79 79 78	79 51 52	-	••••
Total	. 420	100.00	91.00	800.00	700.00	80	1.88	125	315	261	82	.01
New Castle— New Castle Pendleton Smithfield	. 102 - 64	29.00 29.00	29.00 29.00	255.00 160.00	255.09 160.00	0 100 0 100	2.92		. 112	50 50	62	.68
Total		1					2.87			5  187     141		
LAGRANGE	. 217	75.00	13.00	000.00	311.0		1	1	200	1		
BEECH FORK— Beech Fork Poplar Flat Total	113	26.00	26.00	200.00	200.0	0 10	1.89	)	.   80	63	73	.56

Table No. 4—LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

	Nur	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Per	Am	Par	Asses	Pai	Per	Am
	Number	1	Presiding	Claim of charge	75	cent.	Amount per	Parsonage	Assessed ence Cla	Paid on Claims	cent	Amount
CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	of	of.	sidi		rea	of	per		sed on Claims			pe
CHURCHES.	Mer	Pres		Preacher	Preacher			Rental	3 C	onfe	Paid.	M
	Members	Presiding	Elder	her in	in	claims.	member	tal	Confer-	Conference		per Member
	: i	: 14	7	: 2	•	:	7	: ]		ě	.	7
LEXINGTON—HILL ST.	678	224.00	\$224.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00	100	\$2.98	\$400	\$733	<b>\$</b> 733	100	\$1.08
LEXINGTON—EP- WORTH	193	72.00	72.00	600.00	550.00	92	3.22		235	125	53	.64
SPEARS-		44.00	11 00	. 200								
Spears Lebanon		11.00	11.00	125.00 50.00	100.00 50.00			• • • •		2 2		
Mt. Zion		11.00	3.25 11.00	50.00	39.70	78				3		
Total	145	44.00	39.25	50.00 275.00			1.81		143	2	051	.04
VERSAILLES	205	84.00	84.00	800.00	800.00			200				1.40
WINCHESTER	111	174.00	175.00	1.600.00	1,600.00	100	1				100	1.37
MT. STERLING	396	135.00	135.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	100	2.86	200	442	442	100	1.11
CAMARGO CT	100	44.00	44.00	1 7 7 00	755.00	1	0.10		000		0.4	
Camargo El Bethel	86	22.00	22.00						1		34 28	
Dunaway	$\frac{173}{359}$						1	50	*	40		
GRASSY LICK AND	30.0	30.00	30.00	420.00	145.00	103	1.42	อบ	1 288	100	34	.26
MT. ZION-		44.00	44.00	970.0	052.00		i i					}
Grassy Lick Mt. Zion		44.00										
Total	354	88.00	88.00	750.00	576.00	79	1.87			170	59	.48
Owingsville	51	18.50	18.50	200,00	237.00	1119	5.01		60	60	100	1.17
Mt. Pleasant	106	18.50	18.50	200.00	183.00	92	1.90		60	10	16	.09
Total	!57	37.00	37.00	400.00	426.00	104	2.91		120	70	58	.44
CLAY CITY— Clay City	61	11.75	10.00		64.00	]	1.20	1 			ļ 	
Hardwick's Creek Jackson Chapel	35			1	19.00 26.00		.32					
Shiloh	-				20.00		.35			<b></b>		
Total	247	47.00	27.00		129.00	)	.63	1	.] 150	1 5	03	.02
CAMPTON AND HAZEL GREEN-				1			1		}			
Campton		·		150.00				}		1		
Rose Chapel				75.00 1 15.00							1	
Elkin's Chapel		1	1	0 00					.)	ļ		
Bear Pen	274		39.00					70	0 170	18	10	06
NICHOLASVILLE			109.00		1,000.00		)	1		356		1
College Hill-												
College Hill Doylesburg									.			
Pine Grove	50	17.00	15.00	100.00	100.00	97	2.30	k				
Red House							-		8 239			
Total	214	11.00	00.00	310.00	320.0	00	1.00	1 40	230			

### Table No. 4-LEXINGTON DISTRICT-Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members.	Claim of Presiding	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in charge	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per Member.	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. paid	Amount per Member
WEST LIBERTY— West Liberty Gardner's Caney	50 33	8.00 5.00	\$20.00 5.00 3.00	\$200.00 90.00 60.00	\$153,00 65.00 41.00	69	\$1.73 1.36 1.43		\$69 27 18	4	52 14 16	\$0.32 .08 .09
Total	183	1	28.00	350.00	260.00	1			1			.20
MOREHEAD	. 183	46.00	14.00	261.00	88.00	33	.55		124	11	69	.06
JACKSON	. 121	41.00	44.00	350.00	400.00	112	3.67	100	118	3	02	.02
· Irvine— Irvine Wisemantown Cedar Grove	1 4	44.00 10.00	46.00	300.00 75.00 25.00	295.00 58.00 22.00	73	2.45 .95 5.50					.14
Total	. 210	54.00	51.00	400.00	375.00	93	2.02			- 24		.12
Frenchburg Frenchburg Pine Grove Maytown Sandfield Union	. 24		8.00 4.00 5.00 3.00	90.00 24.00 24.00 40.00 10.00	72.00 21.00 15.00 40.00 9.00	85 65 90 90	.90 1.07 .88					
Total	. 192	29.00	22.00	188.00	157.00	82	.93	36	100	3, 2	02	.01
HINDMAN— Hindman Whitesburg Hazard	47 10 13		10.00	• • • • •	119.00 25.00 3.00	0	2.76 2.50 2.4					
Total	.   70	17.00	10.00		147.00	0,	2.25	45	8  5	1		1

#### DANVILLE DISTRICT.

DANVILUE	383	\$123.00	3123.00	\$900 00	\$925.00	102	\$2.73	\$200	\$357	\$259	72	\$0.67
PERRYVILLE-												
Perryville	191		40.501	400.00	400.00						66	
Mitchellsburg			20.25	100.00	100.00				38		55	.43
Junction City	46	20.25	20.25	100.00	100.00	100	2.61		38	S	20	.17
Total	287	S1.00	81.00	600.00	600.00	100	2.37	60	233	132	56	.46
MACKVILLE—			1	,								
Mackville		42.00		300.00	204.00	)			122	62	50	
Wesley		21.00		110.00	100.00	)					34	
Antioch				110.00	93.0	)			61	22	36	
Benton				$30.00^{\circ}$	5.0	0	·					
Total	385	84.00	53.00	550.00	402.0	0  71	1.16	60	244	105	43	.2
SALT RIVER—												i
Price's			8.00	50.001		0						1
Penny's	50	1	8.00	60.00		$0   \dots   0$	1.20		1	9		
Green's	114		24.09	\$9.00]	\$2.0	0	.93		1	7		
Pleasant Valley .	63		12.00	60.001	70.0	0	1.30			11		
Total	270	67.00	52.00,	275.00	235.0	0, 86	1.06	50	191	32	16	.1
MORELAND-												
Moreland	102	28.00	18.00	165.00!	165.0	0 94	1.79		1			
Concord	51		7.00	50.00	21.0	0 43						
Roberts	51				10.0		.19					
Johnson's	63	14.00	7.00	\$5.00	68.0	0 75	1.19					
Total	26	56.00	47,001	300.00	264.0	0. 87	1.16	50	162	1 7	04	1.0

Table No. 4—DANVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members.	Claim of Presiding Elder	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in charge	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per Member	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. paid	Amount per Member.
SOMERSET	350 :	\$130.00	3150.00	\$1,000.00	\$1.000.00	100	\$3.22	\$150	\$373	\$375	100	\$1.07
WILMORE— Wilmore	220 (3) 30	50.60 50.00 101.00	50.00° 50.00°	514.00 256.00 100.00 870.00	434.00 216.00 75.00	87 75	2.20 4.43 2.50 2.66		180 90 11 281	90 11	100 100 100	.81 1.50 .36
BURGIN— Burgin	11S 150 76	25.00 50.00 25.00	14.00 41.00 21.00	225.00 365.00 160.00	160.00 305.00 145.00	69 83 89	1.47 2.31 2.18		   S7   142   62	41 73 16	47 51 26	.34 .48 .22
Total  PINEVILLE— Pineville Barbourville Straight Creek  Total	53 32 43 128	20.00 20.00 1.00 41.00	20.00 20.00 5.00	200.00 206.00 50.00	50.00	93 71 107	3.88 5.00 1.28		59 58	27	56 46	.62 .84
Brodhead Miss— Brodhead Mt. Zion McNew	120		4.00 3.00 1.00	456.00	16.00 20.00 5.00			100		3		.46
Total	100		8.00		41.00		.49		!	6		.06
LONDON	169	63.00	63.00	690.00	600.00	100	3.92	100	181	181	100	1.07
Middlesboro	62	29.00	22.00	300.00	196.00			i I	İ	39	47	.63
PITTSBURG— —	113		34.00	225.00	190.00		1.094		110	16	14	.14
Pittsburg East Bernstadt Wyatt's Chapel .	35 33 35	9.00	1.00 12.00 4.00	60.00 100.00 30.00	69.00 11.00	68 38	2.45			10		.30
Total	103	1	17.00	190.00			1.04		1	1		.09
RICHMOND	140	97.00	90.00	\$00.00			5.55					1.42
LANCASTER	96	49.00	49.00	700.00	700.00	100	7.80	150	140	140	100	1.45
Stanford Stanford McKendree Neal's Creek		67.00 22.00	67.00 22.00	600.00° 200.00° 25.00°	170.00 11.00	86			64	1	90	
Total	242			\$25.00		1	1		256		1	1.01
EAST PULASKI  WEST PULASKI— Gray'S Gover Pollitt Union Church	158 10 15 28 12	7.50 7.50 7.50	$\frac{1.00}{9.00}$	25.00 25.00 25.00 25.00 25.00	3.00	12 3 57	.40		194			.06
Total	65			100.00	13.00	18	.37					
HARRODSBURG			94.00	800.00	800.00	100	4.70	150	272	272	100	1.64

### Table No. 4-DANVILLE DISTRICT-Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members	Claim of Presiding	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in charge	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per member.	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent, paid	Amount per Member.
Preachersville— Preachersville Carter's Chapel Lawson Mt. Hebron Kirksville	44 34 58 24 17	\$ 7.50 10.00 4.00 8.50	\$ 7.50 10.00 4.00 8.50	\$90,00 80.00 25.00 75.00 50.00	82.00	$102 \\ 69 \\ 103$	\$2.12 2.70 .71 3.60 1.00		\$30 25 10 30 5	\$16 1 12	53 04' 40	\$0.36 .03
Total Burnside—	147	30.00 38.00	30.00 38.00		279.00	SS	2.10		100	1	19	.83
Burnside	52 43 160	53.00 5.00 53.00	10.00 5.00	100.00 50.00	100.00 53.00	$0.100 \\ 0.165$	2.11 1.35		50	12	24	.23

#### COVINGTON DISTRICT.

COVINGTON. SCOTT ST	321	<b>\$16</b> 0.60	\$160.00	\$1,300.00	\$1,300.00	100	\$4.54		\$425	\$425	100	\$1.32
COVINGTON, 11TH ST	186	65 00	43.00	600.00	425.00	70	2.51		257	62	24	.33
NEWPORT	217	90.00	99.00	650.00	650.00	100	3.41	\$240	247	247	100	1.13
HIGHLAND	191	100.00	100.00	800.00	897.60	101	4.74	200	243	243	190	1.27
CYNTHIANA	:46	140.00	140.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	100	4.63	150	350	244	68	.99
Foster— Foster— Pine Grove—— Fairview—— Concord—— Total	29 122 79 121 351	12.00 12.00 23.00	6.00 12.00 13.00	76.00 100.00 100.60 162.00	43.00 63.00 142.00	43 66 84	.95 1.28		55 55 85	7	12 03 20	.05 .02 .14
ALEXANDRIA— Alexandria Oakland Persimmon Grove Carthage Total		11.00 11.00 14.00	11.00 11.00 11.00 14.00	100.00 100.00 100.00	100.00 80.00 75.00	100   S2   7S	1	100	50 60 82	28 6 11	56 11 13	!
California California Carntown Mentor Melbourne	29	S.00	S.00 S.00	50,00 25.00 50.00	26.00 26.00 32.00	58 0 104 0 67	1.42		36	1 3	07	.10
Total  Visalia— Visalia Staffordsburg Pleasant Grove Morning View	120 100 63	20 00 7   19.00 5   19.00	0 20.00 0 19.00 0 18.00	260.00 150.00 150.00	267.00 92.00 151.00	0 102 0 65 0 100	2.35 1.03	3	118	77 28 128	39	.64
Total		2: 70.0	0 70.00	650.00	600.00	95	1.90	13	0 296	13	7 46	.39

### Table No. 4-COVINGTON DISTRICT—Continued.

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. CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of	Claim of I	Paid Presiding	Claim of Procharge	Paid Preacher	Per cent. of	Amount per	Parsonage 1	Assessed on ence Claims	Paid on Co Claims	Per cent. paid	Amount per Member
CHURCHES.	Members	Presiding	ing Elder	Preacher in	her in	claims	member.	Rental	Confer-	Conference	ıid	Member.
FALMOUTH— Falmouth Boyd Berry	141 38 53	\$45.00 17.00 17.00	\$42.00 26.00 9.00	\$400.90 125.90 175.00	\$362.00 125.00 75.00		\$2.SC 3.97 1.58		\$142   55   55	\$123 27 14	\$6 49 25	\$0.87 .71 .26
Total	232	80.001	77.00	700.00	562.00	82	2.75	125		-	65	.70
BUTLER—				•								
Butler Wesley Chapel Carter's Boston & Bethel.	67 162 120 112	34.00 13.00 13.00 13.00	34.00 13.00 13.00 13.00	325.00 $125.00$ $125.00$ $125.00$	339.00 128.00 106.00 142.00	102 86	.87 .99		161 63 63 63	76 16 34 63	47 25 54 100	1.13 .10 .28 .56
Total	461	75.00	75.00	700.00	705.00	101	1.69	100	350	188	53	.41
Brooksville— Brooksville Concord	169 158	56.00 19.00	56.00 19.00	380.00 120.00	380.00 120.00		2.58		200		61 86	.72
Total	237	75.00	75.00	500.00	500.00			100		<u> </u>	66	.73
Hughes' Charel— Hughes' Chapel Big Bone	71 21		63.00 12.00	550.00 100.00	450.00 100.00	100	5.33	i	164	25	100 109	1.19
Total	92	75.00	75.00	650.00	5.70.00	86	6.79	100	189	189	100	2.05
Walton— Walton Knoxville Verona	55 47 25	22.00 11.00 11.00	25.00 7.00 5.00	$\begin{array}{c} 200.00 \\ 50.00 \\ 50.00 \end{array}$	160.00 50.00 30.00	93	1.21					
Total	127	44.00	37.00	300.00	240.00	80	2.18		163	32	31	.25
Florence Florence Erlanger Mt. Zion	25 25 25	15.00 15.00 14.00	15.00 12.00 10.00	100.00 150.00 100.00	\$7.00 125.00 68.00	83	5.49			16	1	.66
Total	75	41.00	37.00	350.00	280.00	80	4.23		150	50	33	.66
KELAT— Benson Curry	261 159	45.00 45.00	43.00 43.00	350.00 350.00	312.00 350.00	99	2.47				63 69	
Total	420	90.00	86.00	700.00	662.00	94	1.78	100	342	220	64	.52
WILLIAMSTOWN— Williamstown Dry Ridge Salem	100 111 128	50.00 25.00 25.00	50.60 25.00 25.00	400.00 200.00 200.00	400.00 200.00 200.00	100	2.02		116	140	152 120 79	1.27
Total	339	100.00	1(0.00	800.00	800.00	<del></del>						1.21

### MAYSVILLE DISTRICT.

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MAYSVILLE	267	\$125.00	\$125.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	100	\$4.95	\$200	\$442	\$442	100	\$1.65
E. MAYSVILLE-									1			1
East Maysville		22.00	22.00	300.00	300.00	100	1.67		83	24	29	.12
Concord	45	8.00	8.00	75.00						4	13	.09
Total	237	30.00	30.00	375.00	366.00	97	1.67	100	113	28	24	.11
MT. CARMEL-			1									
Olivet		21.00	21.00	150.00	125.00	85	2.75		65	40	61	.75
Mt. Carmel				375.00						200	122	1.71
Orangeburg	59	21.00	21.00	175.00	175.00	100	3.32		76	76	100	1.28
Total	229	85.001	85.00	700.00	675.00	96	3.31	100	304	316	103	1.38

## Table No. 4-MAYSVILLE DISTRICT-Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members	Claim of Presiding	Paid Presiding Elder	Claim of Preacher in charge	Paid Preacher in charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per member	Parsonage Rental	Assessed on Conference claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. paid	Amount per Member
GERMAMTOWN— Germantown Minerva Salem	80 30 100		\$16.00 32.00 16.00	\$250.00 150.00 150.00	\$250.00 150.00 150.00	100	\$3.32 6.06		\$\$5 70 80	\$S5 70		\$1.06 2.33 .80
Total	210	64.00	64.00	550.00	550.00		2.92				100	
Mt. Olivet  Mt. Olivet  Mt. Zion  Mt. Tabor  Wiggins  Total	491	28.00  27.00  20.00  15.00	27.00 7.00 14.00 12.00	155.00 155.00 111.00 \$5.00	155.00 144.00 75.00 85.00	83 68 97	1.08	75	104 100 74 58	41 32	46 30 55 55	
HILLSBORO—	101	30.00	10.00	500.00	100.00		1.00;		1	101		
Hillsboro	20 120	29.00 29.00 29.00	17.00 21.00 19.00	$\begin{array}{c} 250.00 \\ 120.00 \\ 45.00 \\ 120.00 \end{array}$	234.00 120.00 45.00 96.00	94 100 76	4.70 2.50 .96			37	55 28 55	.87 1.23 .35 .24
Locust Eden Grange City Total	30 85 25 390	29.00	19.00	60.00 80.00 75.00	35.00 40.00 75.00 645.00	50   89	.47 3.76		45	12 16	24 38	
Tollesboro-												
Tollesboro Bethel Burtonville Hebron	38 51	11.00 11.00 11.00 11.00	11.00 11.00 11.00 9.00	100.00 50.00 75.00 60.00	100.00 34.00 60.00 49.00	73   82	1.20 1.40		39	6	17 16	.12
Total	160		42.00	285.00	244.00		1		<u>.                                      </u>		-	.21
TILTON— Tilton Clover Hill Battle Run Nepton Concord Fairview Total		42.00 15.00 8.00 15.00 5.00 10.00	37.00 13.00 7.00 12.00 3.00 4.00	313.00 110.00 60.00 110.00 37.00 75.00	282.00 100.00 51.00 89.00 19.00 30.00	90   85   80   52   40		50	29 53 18 37	53 16 34	64	.46
FLEMINGSBURG— Flemingsburg Helena	1110		58.00 32.00	534.00 266.00							100	
Total				800.00								
VANCEBURG	. 158	55.00	55.00	535.00	434.00	82	3.09		196	56	28	.35
Bethel— Sharpsburg Bethel			30.00	375.00 375.00					. 12	33	1	.29
Total	. 180	64.90	62.00	750.00	600.00	81	3.67	100	248	157	63	.87
Moorefield		10.00 10.00	22.00 10.00 10.00	75.00	142.00 40.00 40.00	)   82 )   52 )   59			26	3 22	3	
Total	. 299	68.00	68.00	520.00	375.00	11	1.48	100	244	50	20	.16

#### Table No. 4-MAYSVILLE DISTRICT-Continued.

CHARGES AND CHURCHES.	Number of Members	Claim of Presiding	Paid Presiding E	Claim of Preacher	Paid Preacher charge	Per cent. of claims	Amount per member	Parsonage Rental.	Assessed on Conference Claims	Paid on Conference Claims	Per cent. paid .	Amount per Member
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N. MIDDLETOWN— North Middletown Little Rock Hutchison Total	19 138 43 200	\$25.00 25.00 50.00	\$28.00 18.00 46.00	\$250,001 250,001 500,00	\$260.00 208.00 468.00	82	\$2.08 5.25 2.57	! 	\$91 99 181	\$65 60 125	72 66 69	\$0.47 1.40 .62
Salt Well— Salt Well Mt. Pleasant Rose Hill Wagner At. Moriah Joseph's Chapel .		20.00 20.00 20.00 20.00	18.00 20.00 18.00 13.00	115.00 65.00 70.00 80.00 35.00 20.00	115.00 65.00 68.00 80.00 24.00 2.00	100 95 93 68				33 		
Total	457	S0.00	62.00	385.00	344.00	\$8	.91			42		.09
CARLISLE	32.	108.00	108.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	100	3.44	200	393	393	100	1.22
SHANNON AND SARDIS— Shannon Sardis Spates	102 55 36	65.00	65.00	600.00	469.00 120.00 11.00	1	4.59 2.14 .30			!		
Total	193	65.00	65.00	600.00	600.00	100	3.44	100	245	137	56	.71
Washington	190	58.60	58.00	600.00	€00.00	100	3.46	72	176	160	91	.84

Note.—Many of the brethren did not hand in complete reports, hence this table is incomplete. For want of space, cents have been omitted in several columns. In figuring out percentages and per capita payments, the cents have been included, hence some slight discrepancies in above figures. Of course all fractions are omitted. The labor of preparing this table was so great that the editor has not been able to go over the figures a second time and verify them. Some mistakes may be found on this account,

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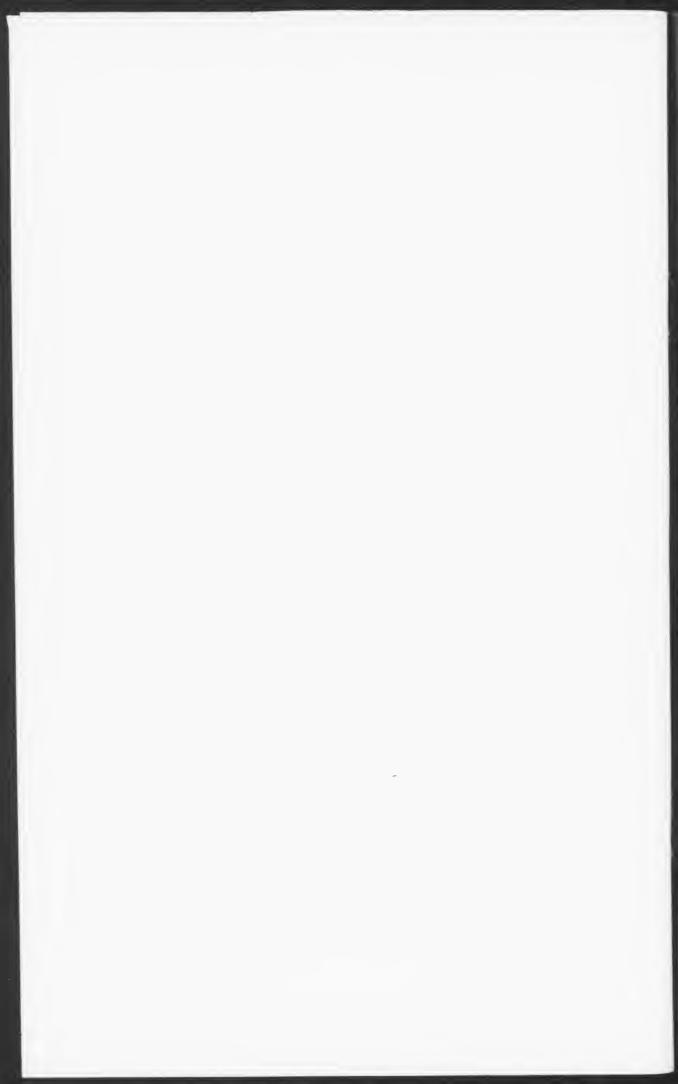
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